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Official County Paper.

BY F. E. DU TOIT.

Chaska Thursday July 3 1873.

COMMUNICATION.

Watertown, Minn. June 9th 1873.

Ed. Herald:—Having been a constant reader of the Herald for some years past, and having seldom seen anything in your columns from this part of the county, it has occurred to me that an occasional paragraph from this local ity would be of interest to some of your readers, and I often resolved to send you a communication But a few things have happened in this vicinity since the formation of that resolution, to be worthy of a place in your columns. I have never been able (before this) to muster sufficient cheek to enable me to carry out my resolution, but patience and perseverance is at last bound to be rewarded. and the long looked for event has "eventuated."

It happened thusly; a once noted leader of politics and *mill hands* having become disgusted with the non-appreciation of his services as evinced by the scarcity of followers in his last struggle for Senatorial honors last fall (ostensibly) retired from the strife and turmoil of political warfare and engaged assiduously in Agricultural pursuits. But the gentle showers of this venal spring seem to have renewed and revivified his old passion for *political fame*. So a few weeks ago, our political farmer by sundry notices in the Wright County *Eagle* and by flaming posters desplayed and scattered throughout the country gave notice that a "Farmers Mass Meeting," would be held in Leuder's Hall on last Saturday the 7th inst., the ostensible object of which was to organize a Grange of Patrons of Husbandry, but it was plainly visible to all who knew the "c. *it ter*" that the real object of the getter up of the meeting was to enable himself and some of his followers to ingratiate themselves into the good graces of the less suspecting farmers, become the champions of their rights (?) draw the wool over the optics of unsuspecting voters, and thus come *spider* on them.

The meeting was called to order by the Hon. C H. Liesau and was permanently organized with R. J. Fairbanks as President and a Fish of the Legal persuasion as Secty. On counting noses there were found to be present 28 voters, from both Wright and Carver counties, of these there were 2 Lawyers, 1 Doctor, 5 Mechanics, 4 Merchants 2 Saloon-keepers, 1 Miller, and 1 "*Middle Man*" all anxious to protect the interest of the farmers.

Speeches and exhortations were made by Messrs. Lienau, Ames, Sleight, Fish and others. Toward the close of the meeting our sole legal advisor was also called upon and with his usual majestic swagger came forward and addressed his *brother farmers* in his eloquent style after which he retreated to the room below, where more congenial *spirits* were to be found (in bottles.) The meeting then resolved to form a Grange of Patrons of Husbandry, but there being only five present who were willing to become members of the order under the circumstances, a committee of ten was appointed to *beg* for members, the crowd then adjourned to try it again two weeks hence. The farce was well played but was too shallow to draw well among the intelligent farmers of this district.

Fully realizing the necessity that exists for farmers to organize for the protection of their interests and appreciating the noble work which has been, and still is being done by the order of P. of H. in resisting and breaking down the gigantic monopolies, which have been and still are paralizing the industries and impoverishing the great producing masses of the country and feeling that a Grange should be organized in every township throughout the land, I must insist that it would be better for the farmers of this vicinity not to organize at all, than to fraternize with, or enter an organization run by such a set of demagogues. and political shysters as those who run the late farmers meeting in this place.

Yours &c.

A. P. of H.

Railway Discrimination.

The Faribault *Republican* discourses at some length on the system of railway discrimination in freights, and demands reform. The *Republican* says;

A few facts will serve to show the injustice we now suffer. Take the article of lumber for example. We are informed by one of our lumber dealers that the average cost of a car load of lumber shipped to him from Minneapolis is $31.50. The freight on a like car loaded to Owatonna, fifteen miles further south, is $22; to Austin, forty miles further south, it is $24, and to Mason City, Iowa, one hundred and ninety-one miles further south, it is $25, When the people of this section are forced to pay $6.50 more per car for their lumber than those whose location involves 191 miles additional railway transportation, for the reason that the latter are favored with a competing line, there can be no wonder that they are restive and prepared to strike against all who uphold such gross inequality.

In the matter of through rates from the East, the same grievance is manifest. The railway freights on goods from Milwaukee or Chicago to Faribault, are, for first class, $1.10; second class, $1; third class. 75 cts.; fourth class 55 cts. The rates charged on the same classes transported by our town, 56 miles further, to St. Paul are, first class, 80 cts.; second class, 70 cts; third class, 50 cts., and special, 35 cents

HOME ITEMS

HERALD AGENT CARVER—G. A. Du Toit

Lake Superior & M. R. R.

Trains arrive and depart from the Chaska depot as follows:

Going North	9:50 A. M.
	6:20 P. M.
Going South	8:33 A. M.
	5:03 P. M.

S. W. LUSK, Agent.

Shakopee, Chaska & Carver accommodation Trains.

Connecting with all trains on Sioux City R.

Going West.	Going East.
8:25 A. M.	8:45 A. M.
2:00 P. M.	5:10 P. M.
6:20 p. m	

H. & D. TRAINS,

Going West, 10.45 A. M. Going East, 2;20 P. M.

Severe Illness.—We are pained to learn of the dangerous illness of Judge Ebinger of this town. He was taken down over two weeks ago, and has been confined to his bed ever since. We hope to be able to report a favorable change next week in his condition.

Mrs. Bitting and Miss. Groetsch, are also confined to the bed with sickness.

San Francisco.—A new Post office has been established at the Swede Mill, with A. J. Carlson for post master. It is a great accommodation to the citizens of that town and Hancock.

F. M. Ball, the well known teacher, is practicing medicine in San Francisco, at or near the above mill. Mr. B., is a cultivated gentleman and will succeed as a practitioner.

Communication.—Watertown draws upon our space this week with a communication relating to the organization of a club of the P. of H. in that village. We hope that our communicators will not become to personal in their articles, as they simply engender bad feelings and accomplish little or nothing. All sides can be heard.

☞ We shall publish a small "item" relating to what we saw and heard in Benton next week.

Personal.—A. C. Lassen, the merchant and legal advisor of Waconia, was in town on Tuesday and kindly called at the *Herald* office and paid his respects to its staff. He reports everything prospering at Waconia

Ernest Haulin, a young "limb of the law" of Watertown, accompanied by Mr. McClelland, of the same place were in town on Tuesday on business, and at the same time greeted their many friends with a hearty shake of the hand.

Coal.—Frank Missler, has left a specimen of coal found upon his land near town. The specimen before us, indicates the existence of coal of a superior quality upon his land. An examination will be made early this fall and if found in paying quantity, a company will be formed to prosecute the work.

Bus.—Mr. Hollipeter, of the Chaska Livery stable, will run a Buss Between Chaska and the different pic nic grounds on the 4th of July. Fare very reasonable.

Young America.—We visited this ancient and enterprising little "burg" during the past week and gathered up a few "items" worthy of note which we herewith publish.

We find that our young friend Wm. Leistico, is no longer to be numbered among our club de Bachelors; but that he did on the 8th day of May last, deliberately and in direct violation of the rules of our club, take unto himself one Miss. Isabella Cameron and that he is now keeping house and living as happily as a lark. Well William here is good luck to both yourself and fair bride.

We also learn that Mrs. Bridget Flood, the mother-in-law of Jas Patterson of Camden, died in Camden on the 28th day of April last, after having reached the ripe old age of 110 years, On the same day of her death she attended to some trifling domestic matters in the house and after retiring to her bed she soon expired. Mrs. Flood was a native of Ireland and emigrated in 1848 and resided in Canada previous to her coming to this county.

The mill of the Messrs. Ackerman is in full blast and is doing merchant in addition to custom work and has established an enviable reputation for an extra brand of flour.

The house occupied by Fred Krinkert, as a saloon and residence, burned down on Friday night. Loss not known

Mr. Slocum has a store in full blast at the depot in addition to that of Mr. Wm. Murphy, who is doing a fine business and who is now erecting a new warehouse.

FOURTH OF JULY.

Pic Nic and Ball by the Concordia.

We are requested by the officers of the Concordia to announce that the Society have resolved to hold a grand picnic in Ebingers grove on that patriotic day, and that speeches, songs, &c., will be features of the days entertainment and that there will also be a grand Ball in the evening in the Hall. Good music has been procured for the occasion and will entertain the public. Attend one and all and have a good time.

Real Estate Sales.—Mathias Jacobs of Dahlgreen, bought of Mr. Tellers 56 acres of land under cultivation for $1200. And Mr. Tellers re-bought of Mr. Henning of the same town, 220 acres with reaper and span of horses for $4,000. So that it may be seen that real estate sales are still active, notwithstanding the scarcity of money.

Local Items.—Work will be resumed upon our streets and side walks next week.

The Catholic Church has been plastered and now presents a beautiful appearance inside. It is worthy of an inspection.

The weather has been fearfully warm, but is now comfortable.

Louis Schlagenmilech, of Laketown, was married at the Catholic Church on Tuesday to Miss. Caroline Kelchka of Waconia. They both felt happy.

Republican Convention.

It will be seen from the published call in another column, that the Republicans (straight-outs) will meet in Convention at Waconia on Friday the 11th inst. to chose delegates to attend the State Convention at St. Paul, on the 16th inst. As the local politicians favor Washburn, it is but natural to infer that the delegates chosen to represent this county, will favor the nomination of that gentleman for the position of Governor. But from conversation with the farmers it is not so clear that he will receive their support if nominated, as they say it is about "played" this voting for "ring" candidates and railroad men.

Sad Accident.—We learn that the team of Fred Elling, while returning home from Chaska last Wednesday, ran away, throwing Mr, E. from the wagon and as we are informed, injuring him to such an extent that his life is dispaired of, A new reaper was also badly damaged and the wagon splintered.—Full particulars not at hand.

Pic-Nic.—Peter Iltis, will give a grand pic-nic on the 4th and a ball in the evening. The Shakopee Band will furnish the music.

Carver Items.

DIED.

William Gibson Jr., aged 25 years, 11 months and 14 days, on the 24th of June at Carver.

Again has death visited our midst, this time laid its hands upon one of our most respected beloved and noble young christian. Poor William, long will his memory be cherished among the Sabbath school children, to whom he was greatly endeared, he was their Superintendent, and he took a great interest in the good work, and often during his sickness did he express great anxiety lest it should be neglected. The children attended his funeral in body. Mr. Gibson had been in Carver about three years coming to this State for his health and had been residing with his Bro-in-law Dr. Lewis, but that fatal disease consumption, had taken firm hold upon him, and finally it carried him home.

He was confined to his bed about three weeks, and at last when death was coming to his relief calling his relatives and friends to his bed side, he bid them all an affectionate—goodbye—and saying he was ready, yes, anxious to go home and meet his Saviour, closed his eyes and passed pleasantly away, without a struggle. His life was a just one, and his death a beautiful one. Peace to his ashes.

His sister Mrs. Lewis has the sympathy of the entire community in this her sad bereavement.

Falling.—The river is again down to near its old stand, it has done considerable damage to the hay crop, and Mr. L. H. Griffin looses about 20 acres of wheat, and 10 to 15 acres of other grain.

In Town.—John Heckelrath and Wm. Glitschka, two former well known citizens of our town were visiting their friends on Saturday. We are glad to see them feeling so well.

Thanks.—Mr. and Mrs. Lewis wish to return their thanks to the citizens of Carver and Chaska for their kindness during the illness of Mr. Gibson, and for their attendance at the funeral.

New Agents.—Hew Strait & Co., have recently been appointed agents for the well known "Inman" Line of Steamers running from N. Y. to all the principal foreign ports. This is the largest, oldest and best managed line that crosses the ocean, the favorite of the people, and more especially of the Germans. Call upon them and get a circular,

Nice.—Call at J. S. Nelsons Drug Store and get a glass of Ice cold Soda water, its nice these days, and if you want a good cigar or a box of pills, he has them.

Home Again.—Our readers throughout the county will we know be pleased to hear that John Dunn has returned home again and will hereafter be at Carver as usual. Mr. Dunn is in hopes that his business can be so arranged, that every man to whom he is indebted, will be paid in full, all that is wanting is time. He says the farmers, must and shall be paid. He admits that he did wrong in going away, but that he was so pushed and crowded. on all sides for money, that he did not know what to do. Mr. Dunns assets will undoubtedly pay all he owes, and we say, welcome back.

Market Day.—Saturday last was fair day in Carver, and a good big one it was, the farmers were in from all parts of the county. A large amount of stock was sold to Minneapolis and St. Paul buyers, but at rather poor prices.—Wheat brought 95 cents.

Personal.—Judge McDonald of Shakopee passed an hour or two in town on Saturday. John Dunn arrived home on Friday evening.

C. Dougherty Pat. Colbert, Robert Patterson, Chas. Bachmann. Commr. Carlson and others, made us pleasant calls during the week.

Berries.—Straw berries have been very plenty this season, and bring from ten cents to a shilling per quart.

Meeting.—Rev. W. R. Powell will preach at the German Methodist church Carver on Sunday evening.

Hoarseness.—Carry a bottle of Dr. Ransom's Hive Syrup and Tolu, or Honey Syrup, in your pocket, and moisten your throat with it every half hour, or hour, and it will restore the voice in twenty-four hours. It is of incalculable value to singers and public speakers removes in a few minutes the huskiness of the voice, restoring its natural smoothness. Only 35 cents per bottle.

Colic and Cramp are instantly cured by one dose of Dr. Miller's Magnetic Balm. Do not fail to keep a bottle in the house. 25 cts. is the price.

See advertisement in this paper.

Strayed.

From the farm of G. N. Gibbs, Eden Prairie, a red cow, heavy with calf, 8 or 9 years old, since Friday the 10th of June. Any person finding the same will be liberally rewarded by leaving notice at the Herald office.

G. N. GIBBS,

Carpenters Take Notice.

The directors of School District No. 7 in the Town of Dahlgreen, Carver County will receive proposals for building a new school house on the 10th day of July 1873 at 10 o'clock a. m. at the house of John Dennin

Given under my hand this 26th day of June A. D. 1873.

BARTREL MUYRES, Dist. Clerk.

NOTICE.

Payments for back subscription to the Herald must be made at once. We are very much in need of money and are consequently obliged to call on all those indebted to us.

Premium List of the Carver County Agricultural Society.

Fair to be held at Carver on the 26th and 27th days of September A. D. 1873.

		HORSES.	
1st	Prem.	work horses	$3 00
2d	"	do	1 50
1st	"	Saddle horse	1 50
1st	"	Matched horses	2 00
1st	"	Breod mare and colt	3 00
1st	"	Mares	2 00
1st	"	Stallion	3 00
1st	"	Filly	1 50
2d	"	do	1 00
		CATTLE.	
1st	"	work oxen	2 50
2d	"	do	1 25
1st	"	Steers, 3 years and under	1 75
2d	"	do	1 00
1st	"	Bull	2 00
1st	"	Milch cow	2 00
1st	"	Heifer	1 00
		SWINE.	
1st	"	Boar	2 00
2d	"	do	1 00
1st	"	Sow	2 00
1st	"	Pigs under 5 months	1 00
		FOWLS.	
1st	"	Coop of chickens	1 00
2d	"	do	75
1st	"	Ducks	75
1st	"	Turkeys	75
1st	"	Geese	75
1st	"	Collection of fancy fowls	75
		GRAIN.	
1st	"	Winter wheat	1 00
2d	"	do	50
1st	"	Spring wheat	1 00
2d	"	do	50
1st	"	Oats	1 00
2d	"	do	50
1s	"	Barley	50
1st	"	Rye	100
1st	"	Corn	1 00
2d	"	do	75
1st	"	Early beans	50
1st	"	Late do	50
1st	"	Buckwheat	75
		VEGETABLES.	
1st	"	Potatoes	1 00
1st	"	do early	1 00
1st	"	do late	1 00
1st	"	Squash	50
1st	"	Variety of squash	75
1st	"	Sugar Beet	50
1st	"	Blood do	50
1st	"	Mangel Wurzel	50
1st	"	Ruta bagas	50
1st	"	Turnip	50
1st	"	Cabbage	50
1st	"	Onions	50
1st	"	Tomatoes	25
1st	"	Carrots	25
1st	"	Turnips	25
1st	"	Cauliflower	50
2d	"	do	25
1st	"	Kohl Rabbi	25
1st	"	Pumpkins	50
1st	"	Water melons	50
1st	"	do variety	75
1st	"	Musk melon	50
1st	"	Cucumbers	50
1st	"	Peppers	50
1st	"	Egg plant	25
1st	"	Collection of vegetables	1 00
		FRUITS.	
1st	"	Winter apples	3 90
2d	"	do	1 50
1st	"	Fall apples	2 50
2d	"	do	1 25
1st	"	Summer apples	2 00
1st	"	varieties of crab's	3 00
1st	"	Largest apples	1 00
1st	"	Grapes	1 00
2d	"	do	75
1st	"	do display	1 00
		PRODUCTIONS.	
1st	"	Flour	1 00
1st	"	Butter	1 00
2d	"	do	50
1st	"	Cheese	1 00
2d	"	do	50
1st	"	Comb honey	1 00
2d	"	do	50
1st	"	Extracted honey	50
1st	"	Hand soap	1 00
1st	"	Woolen yarn	50
		IMPLEMENTS AND MACHINERY	
1st	Prem.	Sewing Machine	Diploma.
1st	"	Fanning do	do
1st	"	Single wagon	do
2d	"	do do	do
1st	"	Washing machine	do
1st	"	Plow	do
1st	"	Harrow	do
1st	"	Stove and furniture	do
1st	"	Reaper	do
1st	"	Mower	do
1st	"	Seeder	do
1st	"	Cultivator	do
1st	"	Collection of farming impnts.	do
		NEEDLE WORK.	
1st	"	Machine needle work	1 00
2d	"	do	75
1st	"	Hand needle work	1 00
2d	"	do	75
1st	"	Fancy needle work	75
1st	"	do	50
1st	"	Displap of millinery	1 50
		FLOWERS.	
1st	"	Variety of flowers	1 00
2d	"	do	50
		PAINTINGS.	
1st	"	Oil painting	1 00
2d	"	do	75
1st	"	Crayon	75
1st	"	Penciling	50
		PENMANSHIP.	
1st	"	Writing	1 00
2d	"	do	50

Disctionary premiums may be awarded upon articles not enumerated in the above, when they display merit. Two premiums will not be awarded on the same article. Entry to persons not members of the association one dollar, to members fifty cents. Price of admission to fair building 10 cents a person. Entries to be made on the first day unless the time is extended at the regular meeting.

June 21st 1873,

THEO. BOST, President.

FRANK WARNER, Secretary.

Republican County Convention.

The Republican county convention of carver county will be held at Waconia on Friday the 11th day of July 1873 at 12 o'clock m, for the purpose of electing four delegates to attend the Republican State convention to be held in Saint Paul on the 16th inst., and transacting such other business as may properly come before said county convention.

The delegates to said convention are apportioned among the several towns as follows, viz:

Benton,	3
Camden	1
Chaska,	5
Chanhassen,	3
Carver,	5
Dahlgreen	1
Hollywood,	3
Hancock,	2
Lake'wn,	4
San Francisco,	7
Waconia,	5
Watertown,	8
Young America,	8

By order of the Co. Committee.

J. A. C. LUND, Chairman

VILLAGE ORDINANCES.

Ordinance No. 5.

Be it ordained by the Village Board of Chaska

Sec. 1. That the regular monthly meeting of the Village Board of the Village of Chaska be and are hereby fixed upon the first Wednesday of each and every month until otherwise ordered to meet at the store of Messrs. Frankon & Stoken at the hour of 7½ o'clock p. m. of said days.

Approved, May 28th 1873.

F. E. DU TOIT, President Board of Trustees.

Attest: J. FRANKEN, Clerk.

Ordinance No. 6.

Be it ordained by the Village Board of Chaska.

Sec. 1. Any disorderly or intoxicated person found in any street, alley, square, saloon, or other public place in this Village, shall be arrested and confined in Jail until he shall become orderly or sober, not exceeding twenty four hours.

Sec. 2. The Marshall of the Village hereby empowered, and it is hereby made his duty, to arrest any disorderly or intoxicated person found in any street, alley, square, saloon, or other public place in this Village, without warrant and confine him in jail, there to be kept until he shall become orderly or sober, not exceeding twenty four hours.

Sec. 3. Such disorderly person shall be arraigned before the Village Justice at the earliest moment practicable after such arrest, and if found guilty of being disorderly or intoxicated as aforesaid, shall be fined not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, for the benefit of the Village.

Sect. 4. The trial of any offender under this Ordinance shall be conducted the same as criminal cases in Justices Court, under our annual statutes of this State, except as herein provided.

Approved, May 28th 1873.

F. E. DU TOIT, President Board of Trustees.

Attest, J. FRANKEN, Clerk.

Village Ordinance No. 7.

Sec. 1. All persons are hereby forbidden prohibited and restricted from selling giving or dealing in spirituous vinous malt or fermented liquors within this Village unless duly licensed by the Village Board of Trustees of said Village.

Sec. 2. Any person desiring a licence under this Ordinance must file their application therefore with the Village Clerk of said Village on or before the 1st day of July A. D 1873, and pay the said Clerk for the use of the Village the sum of twenty five dollars for a license for one year.

Sect 3. Whoever sells, barters, gives or deals in spirituous, vinous, malt or fermented liquors, within the limits of said Village, without first having obtained a license therefore, agreeable to the provisions of this Ordinance or disposes of any spirituous, vinous, malt or fermented liquors, under any pretext, or in any manner, from which an intention to evade this ordinance appears, shall be fined not less than twenty five nor more than one hundred dollars for each offence.

Sect. 4. All persons engaged in the various business hereafter mentioned shall pay an annual license as follows, viz:

Proprietors of General stores,	25 00
Attorney at Law (each member)	5 00
Harness makers,	5 00
Publishers,	5 00
Proprietors of meat markets,	5 00
Proprietors of Millinery Stores,	5 00
Circus per day,	10 00
Traveling Troupes (each entertainment,)	5 00
Owners of Steam Flouring mills,	10 00
Peddlers, per year,	10 00
Auctioneers license unless residents of this County,	5 00
Proprietors of Livery Stables,	5 00

Any person who shall hereafter establish or carry on any business within the limits of said Village for which a license is required by the provisions of this section without having first obtained a license, therefore shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in a sum not exceeding thirty dollars nor less than five dollars for each and every offence.

Sect. 5. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force on and after this 4th day of June A. D. 1873. Approved.

Attest, J. FRANKEN, Clerk.

F. E. DU TOIT, President Bord of Trustees.

Jos. Franken. Jos. Starken.

FRANKEN & CO.

New Drug STORE.

CHASKA. . . . . Minn.

Have just opened a new Drug Store and offer for sale a complete stock of

DRUGS & MEDICINE,

Perfumery,

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Toilet Articles.

Glass, Oils,

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DEFECTIVE PAGE

INTENTIONAL DUPLICATE EXPOSURE

THE NEWS.

At Home.

Ex-President Johnson proposes to run for Governor of Tennessee.

While a number of persons were on a raft, composed of two boats and some planks, in a pond in Calais, twenty miles from Montpeliar, Vt., Sunday, one of the boats filled, and the whole party were thrown into the water Five were drowned and about the same number taken from the water unconscious, but restored.

Two hundred and forty mormons left New York on Tuesday for Utah.

A fly-wheel in the rolling mill of Z. Robbins & Sons burst on Monday, injuring six workmen, and one John Murray fatally.

A kerosene explosion took place in Joliet, Illinois, on the 17th. A little girl eight years old and a babe eight months old, were horribly burned, both fatally, it is thought.

The Navy Department has purchased the British steamer Tigress for the Polaris search expedition.

The will of James Brooks has been admitted to probate.

Wm. Sharon has finally purchassed the interest of Huntington Hopkins in the Central Pacific Railroad.

Edward Benham was killed by the cars near Goshen, Ind.. on Monday.

A counterfeiter named Merril was arrested at Springfield, Ill., on Monday by Treasury Agent Bailey.

Two-thirds of the village of Maxwell, Ontario, was burned on Saturday.

A twenty-five thousand dollar fire occurred at Westborough, Mass., on Monday.

At the present time there are between 7,000 and 8,000 children kidnapped from Italy and held in slavery in large cities of the United States, New York being the great centre port. The children are brought here and sold daily at private auction, the prices varying from one hundred dollars to four hundred for boys and one hundred to five hundred for girls.

Almor Gordon, wife and child, were found murdered in bed at Therndyke, eighteen miles from Belfast, Maine, Monday. A brother of Gordon is the murderer.

The total amount of back pay returned to the United States Treasury is $192,017. The number of Senators and Representatives who declined to receive it is forty-six.

Arthur A. Glover shot and killed Wm. Goumillion and his father, Lovett Goumillion, at Edgefield Court House, S. C., on Tuesday, by shooting them through the head with a derringer. About 20 years ago Lovett Goumillion killed Joseph Glover, uncle of Arthur Glover.

The President has made the following appointments: Isaac L. Mahal, Indiana, Agent for the Chippewa Indians, Lake Superior; William Prescott, Illinois, Register of the Land Office, Springfield, Ill.

A remarkable game of base ball was played in Boston on Saturday between the Boston and Athletic clubs. Score: Bostons none, Athletics three.

Pittsburg, Pennsylvania, is making preparations for a grand exposition of the mechanic arts.

Tom Young killed his father-in-law, James Alexander, near Memphis, Tusday. Both colored.

The fire underwriters of New York city have resolved to continue the fire patrol and voted $190,000 for its maintenance during the next two years.

The graves of Confederate dead were profusely decorated with flowers at Baltimore, on Tuesday.

Twenty five deaths from cholera in Nashville, Tuesday. The disease is spreading into the surrounding country.

Joseph C. Howard, a horse thief arrested in St. Louis, and sent to Union, Mo., was, on Tuesday night, taken from jail by a mob, and hung.

A daughter of Prof. Agassiz has contributed one hundred thousand dollars to the museum of comparative zoology, in which her father is deeply interested.

Lafayette, Indiana, had a twenty thousand dollar fire on Tuesday.

The four negroes who murdered Laret and Snyder, at New Iberia, La., last Friday, were on Tuesday arrested and hung by the colored citizens.

Hon. Jos. Brooks, of Arkansas, has commenced suit in the circuit court of Pulaski county, against Baxter, for the office of Governor.

Bostonians celebrated the ninety-eighth anniversary of the battle of Bunker Hill, on Tuesday, in an appropriate manner.

A letter received from a teacher in the Kiowas camp at Fort Sills, says a very friendly feeling exists on the part of the Indians toward the general government which will be increased on the restoration to them of Santanta and Big Tree.

The President has appointed under the civil service rules the Board of Examiners for the Treasury Department as follows: Stephen J. W. Tabor, fourth auditor; Wm. H. Armstrong of the Internal Revenue Bureau, and Chas. Lyon of the Secretary's office.

The latest news from Arizona, is that Sunday last, J. S. Thomas, sheriff of Prescott county, was attacked by Apaches, near Rio Verde. He returned the fire from his buggy, killing two and wounding one. The rest of the Apaches, seven or eight in number, fled, Thomas' horse ran away, but he escaped uninjured.

A fossil mastodon has been found at Corona and not in the Chilos archipelago.

Two boys, named Robert Rick and John Burt, were drowned in the lake at Chicago, on Sunday afternoon, while bathing.

Prof. Watson, of the University, and director of the observatory of Ann Arbor, has just discovered a planet heretofore unknown. It is in the constellation Ophinehus. Its right ascension is 17 hours and 17 minutes, and its declination is 21 degrees and 54 minutes south. It shines like a star of the eleventh magnitude, and is moving northwest.

Wm. S. Cristy, of the firm of J. & M. Cristy, wholesale confectioners of New York city, was drowned on Saturday evening, while bathing at Prairie du Chien, Wis. His remains were placed in a metalic coffin and forwarded to New York by express.

On Sunday afternoon at Galena, Ill., while a number of boys were bathing in Fever river, two, Ricaard and Charlie Steinmetz, aged 10 and 12 years respectively, were drowned.

An insane woman named Kelley suicided at Cleveland, on Saturday, by drowning herself in the lake.

The boilers in Green & Co.'s glue fatory, Rathway, N. J., exploded on Monday, fatally injuring four men.

Henry Jewell, the would be assassin of Ella Woods, in Hudson, N. H., is dead. Miss Woods will recover.

Abroad.

Henri Rochefort is to be transported from nee to New Caledonia.

It is announced that the French minister of finance will prosecute Gustave Courbet for the recovery of a sum expended by the government in the reconstructure of the Vendome column. Courbet was the chief instrument of the Commune in destroying the column.

The restored president of Panama, is fraternizing with the leaders of the revolution that banished him, and drowning enmity in champagne, and those who were discharging rifles at each other a few days ago, are now drinking each others health.

A French steamer arrived at Havana, yesterday, with five hundred Chinamen on board. During the passage there were 185 deaths.

Judge Johnson has been appointed to the Lieut. Governorship of Novia Scotia, made vacant by the death of the late Joseph Howe.

Don Adelno Ballevian has been elected Constitutional President of Bollivia, to fill the unexpired term of the late President Morales.

The people of Valparaiso and Southern Chili have been frightened by several shocks of earthquake. Much damage has been done and some lives lost.

The second cable from the coast of Carnwell to Spain has been opened. This increase in facilities for transmitting dispatches has led to a reduction in the tariff.

The bill for the suppression of religious corporations has passed both Houses of the Italian Parliament.

Captain Hall's Last Dispatch.

The following is a copy of the draft of Captain Hall's last dispatch to the Government:

Sixth Snowhouse Encampment, Camp Bureoort, North Side of entrance to Newman's Bay, Latitude 82-3 north, Longitude 61-20 west, October 10th, 1872.

To the Hon. Secretary of the United States Navy, George W. Robenson:

Myself and party, consisting of Mr. Chester, first mate, my Esquimaux Jo and Greenland Esquimaux Hans, left the ship in winter quarters in Thank-God harbor, latitude 81-38 north, longitude 61-44 west, at meriden of October 10th, on a journey by two sledges drawn by fourteen dogs to discover, if possible, a feasible route inland for my sledge to journey next spring to reach the north pole, purposing to adopt such a route, if found, is better than a route of our flaws and hammocks of the strait which I have designated Robeson Strait, after the honorable Secretary of the United States Navy. We arrived here the afternoon of October 17, having discovered a lake and river on our way. Along the latter our route was an almost serpentine one, which led us on to this bay. Fifteen minutes distant from here, southward and east ward from the top of an iceberg near the mouth of the river, we could see that this bay, which I have named after Rev. Dr. Newman, extended to a highland eastward and southward of that position about fifteen miles, making the extent of Newman's Bay from its headland, or cape, full thirty miles. The south cape is a high, bold and noble headland. I have named it Sumner Headland, after Hon. Charles Sumner, orator and United States Senator, and the North Cape, Brevoort, after J. Carson Brevoort, a strong friend to Arctic discoveries. On arriving here we found the mouth of Newman's Bay to be open water, having numerous seals in it bobbing up their heads—this open water making close both to Sumner Headland and Brevoort Cape. The ice of Robeson Strait being on the move debarred all chance of extending our journey on the ice up the straits. The mountainous lands, there being none other about here, and as the time of our expected absence was understood to be for two weeks, we commence our return to morrow morning. To-day we are storm bound to this, our sixth encampment from Cape Brevoort. We can see land extending on the west side of the strait to the north 22 west and distant about seventy miles, this making the land we have discovered as latitude 83.5 north. There is an appearance of land further northward, extending more easterly than I have just noticed, but a peculiar dark nilbus cloud that constantly hangs over what seems to be land prevents my making a full determination. On August 31, the Polaris made her greatest northern latitude, 82.29 north, but after several attempts to get her further north she became beset, when we were drifted down to about 81.30, when an opening occurred. We steamed out of the pack and made a harbor September 3d, where the Polaris is—[A corner of the manuscript is here burned off up to "time"]—time I and my party left the ship. All have been well, and continue with high hopes of accomplishing our great mission. We find this a much warmer country than we expected. From Cape Alexander mountains, on either side of Kentucky Channel and Robeson Straits, were found entirely bare of snow, and with the exception of a glazier that we saw commencing in lat. 80.30 north, on the East Strait, and extending in a northeasterly direction as far as can be seen from the mountains by Polaris Bay, we have found that the country abounds with live seals, game, the goose and duck, musk cattle, rabbits, wolves, foxes, bears and partridges. Our sailors have shot two seals in the open waters while at this encampment. Our long Arctic night commenced October 13th, there having been only the upper limb of the sun above the glacier at meridan. This dispatch to the Secretary of the Navy I finish at this moment 8:23 P. M, having written it in ink in our snow hut. The thermometer outside minus 7 degrees yesterday; thermometer minus 20 degrees to 23 degrees, that is 20 degrees minus to 23 degrees minus Fahrenheit.

A copy of this dispatch was placed in a pillar at Brevoort Cape, Oct. 21st, 1871.

How to Prevent Sunstroke.

As we are soon to experience a heated term, the following specific against sunstroke may save from illness and death many whose occupation obliges them to be in the field or out upon the streets:

"About a year since I saw in a newspaper an account of a case of sunstroke, written by the party himself. After suffering a long time from the attack, and having to a considerable degree recovered, he experienced suffering even from the rays of the moon. This led him to the reflection that it was not altogether the heat of the sun that produced prostration. After much research he discovered that the injury came from the chemical ray, and not from the heat ray. He was guided to this by observing the fact that a photograph could not be taken through a hollow glass. Accordingly, he lined his hat with two linings—one of the orange yellow to arrest the chemical ray, and one of the green to arrest the heat ray. Thus prepared, he went where the rays of the sun were most intense with perfect impunity. It is well know that the negro is seldom or never sunstruck. The color of his skin over the skull being of the orange yellow may assist in accounting for the fact. I practiced on this suggestion all summer, lined my hat with green and orange-yellow paper, and had confidence enough in the truth of the theory to neglect my umbrella, which I had never done before. I mentioned it to many, who tried it also, and in many cases that came under my observaiion they uniformly said that the oppressive heat of the sun upon the head was much relieved."

The Milford (Del.) News has discovered a new enemy to the peaches, it being a sort of weevil, which, under the glass bears strong resemblance in color and shape to the black heart worm of corn; though, unlike that, it can suspend itself by a web. It is thought it is hatched outside the bud,

The Story of a Life.

Have you forgotten me, ma belle Marie,
That spring-time down at the Hall? Ah, well!
Though I thought I was strong on the wing, you see,
You singled me out, and of course I fell;
A touch of the hand when our eyes first met,
A soft "aside" on a rustic seat;—
I was proof against snares, as I thought, and yet
I was writhing soon at your feet.
You had no pity at all for me,
Or you would have killed me, belle Marie.

A glow at my heart, and a night of dreams;
Your hair had the ripple my ears loved best;
"Pray God," I said, "she be all she seems,
For I am weary and long to rest."
Wounded and sick at your feet I lay.—
Pleading for peace, to your knees I crept.
I hear your voice as 'twas yesterday—
They were crocodile tears you wept.
My eyes were blinded with dust, you see,
And I paid the penalty, belle Marie!

I'll own I wept—for the tears would flow,
Though I'd found the depth of your worthless heart;
I cursed myself for a fool—you know
They are terrible tears when men's eyes smart.
And you—well! there possibly was one sigh—
The sigh you might give if a dog was hurt;
And your comfort, I think, was the stale old lie,
"Men's hearts are as cheap as dirt."
Well! now you are married, and I am free,
And that's the difference, belle Marie!

Married. Yes, I suppose that's the term
For men and women who've sold their lives;
Who rear up loves to be nipped in the germ,
And live good fellows and honest wives.
He's deep in love with Mammon, his god,
And away with Mammon he wins your bread;
But over your novels you sit and nod,
And doze at the table's head.
And you sigh—the days pass wearily—
They are slightly monotonous, belle Marie!

You shouldn't forget though, belle Marie—
Though women, you know, have wayward ways—
The choice was yours, 'twixt a life with me
And an old man's carriage and princely bays.
A poor man's wife and a rich man's queen—
The choice, for a woman, was scarcely fair;
You were wise to forget what I might have been,
You were right to be safe and sure.
Telle est la vie! telle est la vie!
You are like the rest of them, belle Marie!

LAST BATTLE FOR SAMARCAND.

"That's the spoil of the infidel, my father; and he who handled it was a brave man, unbeliever though he was. God has put much bravery in the hearts of the Basurmani (heathens); but we have beaten them, after all!"

So speaks, with a gleam of stern pleasure in his clear grey eye, a stalwart Russian grenadier, whose close-cropped hair is just beginning to turn grey. Emerging from the great mosque of Tashkent (now turned into a powder magazine by the practical conquerors,) I find the veteran munching his ration bread in the shadow of a projecting gateway. The unmistakably Bokhariote with a yataghan in his belt provoking my curiosity, which he is evidently nothing loth to gratify.

"We have beaten them," he repeats, twisting his huge red mustache; "but we'll have to do it all over again some day. These fellows are like our wolves in winter—never quiet till their skins are hung up behind the stove. They've got to go out some day, anyhow; for it's not to be borne that all the best bits of God's earth should be in the hands of unbelieving heathens!"

"You took this yataghan in battle, then, I suppose?" interpolated I.

"That did I, father; and a hard battle it was. They tell me that the story of it has gone abroad even to the West; but perpaps, you haven't heard it."

"And if you have, a good story is always worth hearing twice; so I'll just tell you what we'll do. We'll step across into that kabak (tavern) on the other side of the street, and you shall wash the dust out of your mouth, and tell me all about it."

Honest Dmitri's small eyes twinkle approvingly, and he follows me across the street with alacrity. A full measure of liquor is speedily set before him, and sitting down in the shadow of the doorway, he pulls off his cap, crosses himself devoutly, and prepares to enjoy himself. The removal of the cap shows me a long, dark-red scar across his forehead, standing out strongly upon the sun-burned skin.

"Hallo, brother! the unbelievers have left you a remembrance, I see. Did you get that in the battle you were talking about?"

"Just so, master; and from this very yataghan that I have been showing you. The Basurmani can hit hard when they like, I can tell you; and if this Khiva expedition that everybody talks about here, really comes off, we shall find our porridge hot for us—that we shall! and we'll beat them all the same, please God!"

"Well, but about that battle of yours?"

"Ah, to be sure! Well, you see, in the year '67 it was settled to take Samarcand at any price, and General Kaufman was our leader. But what a march we had of it! You've seen something of the mud on your way here, I take it—well, that was just how we had it all the way to the Kouran-Taulridge. Plump you go into the dirt up to your knees, and get all slimy and sticky: like a fly in a pot of milk: then comes a stream; and you get over it anyhow, keeping only your powder and ammunition dry. Then into a lot of thorn-bushes, that stick into you like bayonets; and then more dirt after that, you're just like a newly-tarred boot. Oh, fathers of the world' what work we did have of it!"

Dmitri breaks off for a moment to drown the horrible recollection in a tremendous swig of raw spirit; while the landlord, forseeing that the yarn will need a good deal of moistening, nods his head approvingly.

"After we got over the Koaran-Tau," continues my extempore Othello, "we came out upon the steppe, and there the ground was hard and rocky, and we had better walking of it; but as for the heat, phew! All day we'd be baking like loaves in an oven; and then the sun would set all at once, as if somebody had blowed him out, and it would turn cold in a moment, and down would come the dew, and and we would all be shivering and shaking like shut out on a winter night; and then after that the heat again. We didn't much like it, I can tell you; but what's to be done? When a thing is to be it will. Besides, our Colonel was one of the right sort, that he was. Many a time would he get off his horse, and march three or four versts along with the column, just to show that he didn't want to be better than the rest of us; and when he saw a man beginning to tire; and to drag his feet after him; he would call out cheerily, 'Keep up, my lad; think what your lass at home would say, if she saw her man the first to fall out.' And that would go through us like a sup of vozka, and we'd go forward as briskly as if we had only just started.

"At last we got to Khodjent; a sweet little place it is, nestled in the forest like a baby among the standing corn in harvest time, and its mosques glittering over the river like cavalry helmets, and there we halted a day to rest. It was there we got word that the heathen had come out to meet us, and at that we rejoiced greatly, and said we should give Adjar (a battle gained by Gen. Romanovaki in 1866) over again. But the spiteful beast hadn't the civility to stand out and give us a fair chance at 'em; all they did was to hang about us, cutting off our stragglers, and trying to draw us out in pursuit, that they might fall upon us scattered—the cowardly, sneaking, accursed sons of dogs." Here Dmitri warming with his subject branches off into a string of curses worthy of Ernhlphus and (Ellipus Celoneus.) "But our father the general, was too old a wolf to be caught in that trap; he kept us to well together, and gave the heathen dogs no chance. All they could do was to hover about us as we marched just as the crows used to do round Masloff, from the town of Khvalinsk, on the Volga. Such a merry fellow as he was! always laughing and joking, and telling funny stories, and with his tales, and his songs, and his jokes, he kept us all merry as boys at a carnival. But the morning after we got to Ouran-Toubeh, which is about half-way from Khodjent to Samarcand, I noticed that Kelia (Nikolai), instead of looking bright and jolly as he generally did, was as dumpish as a peasant who has just been drawn for the conscription—and well he might! Did you ever have a dream, master?"

His voice sinks to a whisper at the question; and a sudden look of solemnity, almost amounting to awe, darkens his jovial face.

"A dream, eh?" answer I, laughing; "why I'm always having them. I had a very funny one last night, after having mutton-pilaff and green tea."

"Ah! I don't mean that sort; this was quite a different thing. Listen, and you shall hear. I had expected to find Kolia jollier than ever, for our general had just got word that the unbelievers were encamped with a great army in front of Samarcand, meaning to fight; and we were all rejoicing at it; but when I looked into Kolia's face, it struck upon me like a chill.

"Why brother," said I, "what's wrong with you? It's just the time to be jolly, when we're going to square accounts with the unbelievers; and here you're looking as if you'd met the Domavol" (the Russian Puck.)

"Meetya (Dmitri) my lad," says he, "take this little cross of mine, and swear upon it that you'll give it with your own hands to my father, Potor Iaanitch Masloff, at Khyalinsk. You will return to Holy Russia some day; but as for me, it is fated that I should leave my bones here—I have had a dream."

"At that word, master, I felt colder than ever, for I knew that Lolia was a 'znacharr' (fortune-teller), and that his dream could not lie. I said nothing, and he went on:

"I dreamed that he was lying on the bank of a swollen river, beyond which were steep hills; and on those hills lay the army of the unbelievers, and in the middle of all there rose up one big rock, like the face of a man. And suddenly, like a rising mist, came the figure of my patron saint. Saint Nicholas, right by to where we two lay; and he stooped down and touched you on the forehead—but drew back his hand directly as if he had made a mistake, and laid it on my neck; and it was cold as ice. Then he disappeared; and as I awoke I heard a strain of music just like a Panikheeda (funeral hymn)."

"Just then came the signal to fall in, and we had no more talk till the evening before the battle. We had been marching all day over a great plain overgrown with wooding, but just about sunset we came out upon the bank of the Zar-Agshan, and saw what was in store for us. The river was in full flood, running like the Volga after a spring thaw, and above it the heights of Tchepan-Atin rose up like a wall, steep and dark against the sky, and, scattered all over the slopes, like sugar on an Easter cake, were helmets, and spearheads, and gun-barrels, and embroidered dresses, and all the array of the heathen host, and their guns were pointed right down upon the river, already to pepper us if we tried to cross. I was just looking up at them when I felt a hand on my arm, and heard Nikolai's voice saying, 'Look; do you remember?'"

"I looked, and it was as if some one had struck me on the face, for there, as he had seen them in his dream, were the steep hills and the swollen river, and the array of the heathen army, and the big rock, like a man's face, and all! Then I set my teeth hard, for I knew that he must die; but he just took off his little cross, and gave it to me, saying, 'Remember your promise.' We gripped each others hands, and said nothing more.

"The next morning, in the grey of the early dawn, we mustered for the assault, for the General had taken a good look at their position, and had decided to try it on the right, where the ridge was not so steep. My regiment was to lead, and the Colonel stepped to the front, and said, in his old cheery way, looking as jolly as if he were just going to dinner 'My lads, our father the General has ordered us to carry that position, and so, of course we can do it. Forward!"

The next moment we were breast deep in the river, holding our pieces over our heads. The minute we leaped in the batteries opened upon us, and all over the hills it was flash, bang, flash, bang, like a thunderstorm, and the water splashing and foaming under the shot, as if under hail; but God blinded the eyes of the idolaters, so that only a few of us got hit.

We struggled through, and charged up the heights; and, to look at us and them, you'd have the thought that they would only have to open their mouths and swallow us whole. But the heathens have not the strong heart of the true believers; and when they saw us coming right at them, as if we were sure of winning, their courage failed them. The whole army broke up all of a sudden, as the ice on the Volga breaks up in the spring, and they threw down their arms and fled. Some of them stood to it, though, in the foremost battery; and among them was a tall fellow in a grey dress, who must have been a chief. Then I said to myself; "I'll kill that man!" and I ran right at him. He gave me a slash with his yataghan (this one that is in my belt now), and cut through my cap into my forehead; but my bayonet went right through him, up to the very shank. We both fell down together, and thought the game was done.

When I awoke again all was quiet, and I staggered to my feet, and bound up my wound with a strip of the Bokhariote's dress. He was dead, and I turned him gently on his face, and prayed that his soul might find mercy, for he was a brave man. But when I turned to go there lay poor Nikolai, stark dead, with his neck half cut through by a sword, just as the dream had said. I have his cross still, (he held out it out to me in his broad hand, brown as a trencher), and if I ever get back to Holy Russia I'll give it to his father at Khvaliusk, though I should walk there barefoot.

"So there, master, is your story; and if you don't believe it, why, here's the very scar on my forehead still, just where the saint touched it. There now!"—*All the Year Round.*

The Valley Virginian says: "The increase of business on the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad is wonderful. Freight trains are passing all the time. On Sunday last, even, some four or five engines passed west for the purpose of bringing in trains loaded with freight. The live stock trade, especially in numbers, is very heavy. Lager beer and whisky command much of the capacity of the cars, and coal in great abundance is passing."

The volatile French Republic is in danger of being dissipated.

GERMANY AND FRANCE.

The Tramp of Armed Men.

A correspondent of the Times, W. H. Russell, writing from Vienna, says: "Just now there is in the relations of France with the empire of Germany a good deal to occupy his (Bismarck's) attention. If my information is correct—and I have reason to believe it is—the reserves are armed, and those in Posen and Silesia are actually ready to move. There is considerable display of troops in Berlin. I attributed this to preparations for the military spectacle, but I am told that it refers to the relations I have spoken of, the complications in which have led to demands for categorical explanations from the president of the French republic of his reference to the army in his expression of a hope for the speedy liberation of the territory. The story was that the Prussian minister has asked what that meant, and a distinct reply must be given by next Wednesday. Marshal MacMahon can't hesitate to disclaim warlike intentions, but it can't be denied that there is intense distrust and much uneasiness in Germany. The preparations in Austria and Hungary, the introduction of new arms and armaments; the attention paid to military subjects; the speech of the arch Duke to the Poles; the attitude of the non-German press, all cause distrust, and the suggestion that Austria is afraid of Russia is met with by an expression of entire disbelief. And what could Europe do in the face of a new invasion of France by north Germany? It is not easy to see what Austria could do. It is almost certain that a perfect understanding exists between Russia and Prussia that the former will not permit Austria to assume an offensive attitude if the latter feels called upon to direct her troops into the French provinces lately evacuated. The policy of England under the present administration is "*fiat pax ruat coelum,*" so we may yet witness a renewal of the territorial disturbances which marked the creation of the first French empire. The very earth groans under the weight of the armies in Prussia and northern Germany. The evil is felt, and is declared to be intolerable, but is accepted as inevitable, so long as Austria and France are arming. Austria declares that her organization is intended for defensive purposes, and looks to the east and not to the north or west, but it would not need much provocation indeed to induce Prince Bismarck to demand explanations at Vienna also. In fact, I have been told things cannot go on as they are. Austria must forbear, or we shall have to break her up. Education is dying out in the schools and in the universities. There are 4,000 schools for which masters are not forthcoming. The chairs in the universaties and colleges are vacant. The learned professions, the church and the law, find no recruits. The laurel bears bitter fruit, after all. These things are pondered over by thoughtful Germans, and even some very liberal men do not approve of the policy which at such a moment alienates the most sincere Catholics by a new civil marriage law.

Magicians.

From Appleton's Journal.

The famous and gifted Jesuit, Kircher, was born in 1602, and died 1680. He passed the greater part of his life at Wurzburg and at Rome. In the French Academy at Rome, there is an unpublished manuscript of Kircher, in which he gives an account of his museum, which contained many strange devices wherewith he amused and terrified his acquaintances. On one occasion, I requested Father Secchi, the most widely-versed of living scientists, to give me his opinion of Kircher's alleged museum, and he informed me that Kircher took with him from the world many profound secrets of science, which have not been since unravelled. Speaking of Kircher's machines, Father Secchi said: "They performed many marvelous feats, of the explanation of which we are wholly ignorant." Among his automatic instruments was one in which he appeared to have taken great delight. It was in the form of a turreted castle. Down the towers a couple of brass balls, unfastened by any cord or wire, were rolled, and, mysteriously vanishing at the bottom, would suddenly reappear on the summit. The same contrivance then exhibited a scene representing a large number of female heads in succession, each personating a different race, and wearing a style of coiffure distinct from the preceding one. While the spectators were wondering when this succession of heads would end, a gate suddenly opened, revealing a dismal cave, in which a horrid monster, bound with a massive chain, lay bellowing and vainly endeavoring to tear from his throat a glittering serpent which had coiled itself around him. A hissing dragon and savage-looking witch made fearful grimaces at each other out of little windows at opposite sides of the cave. After those performances, the cave closed up. Kircher would then further amuse his visitors by a representation of Jonah swallowed by the whale. This he succeeded in effecting by constructing a small figure of the prophet having a magnet concealed in one leg, and putting a more powerful one in the interior of the fish. When all was ready for the swallowing of the prophet, he and the whale were sent to swim in a basin of water. Presently Jonah disappeared down the fish's throat, to the amazement of the spectators. The natural movements of these figures in the water, not the accountable disappearance of Jonah, baffled the scientists of the time.

Among other remarkable things in this eccentric priest's museum, were miniature ships which set out from port, their anchors having been weighed and sail set, performed a regular voyage, tacked, and their canvas reefed when the wind blew strongly and returned to the harbor again. There were divers other hydraulic toys, notions, and mechanisms, in which the great philosopher took delight. He took especial interests in the magic lanterns, of which he was the inventor. He constructed the first one about the middle of the seventeenth century, and it became a great addition to the supernatural capabilities of this wonder-working man.

His optical illusions were really of a high order, and there may be reason to doubt whether some of them were not used for a less legitimate purpose than the amusement of his friends. He contrived an apparatus for the production of aerial figures, and, on one occasion, represented the ascension of our Saviour in a manner so life-like as to strike all who beheld it with awe; and they could not be dissuaded from the belief that it was real, until they tried to grasp the apparition. Another of his marvels was to put his friends in a darkened room, and suddenly to cast a blaze of light upon the wall, in the midst of which would be seen the mysterious word, "Beware!"

LAKE SUPERIOR VILLAGE BURNED.

The Villagers Driven into the Lake for Safety—A Number of Persons Burned to Death.

The telegraph announces that the village of Michigammi, Marquette county, Mich., was entirely destroyed by fire Thursday. Only three or four houses were left standing. About one hundred and fifty buildings were burned and one hundred families left homeless, with little more than the clothing they had on. The village was composed of wooden buildings, which burned very rapidly, giving the inhabitants hardly time to save themselves. The people took to the lake near by on planks, logs, and anything that would float. The scene is described as appalling and heartrending in the extreme. Eight bodies were found burned to a crisp, and more are missing.

Michigammi was a mining town in the iron region, and contained some 800 inhabitants. Among other places burned was the mill of Jacob Southton, just equipped at an expense of $50,000. At the Spurr Mine two barns, and a number of log houses were burned. The heat has so warped the rails of the Marquette, Houghton and Ontonagon Railroad as to render the passage of cars impossible. In some places the poles have been burned and the wires are down along the track. Superintendent Merritt, as soon as he heard of the catastrophe, sent a special train to aid in the relief of the sufferers. Supplies are also being hurried forward from the surrounding towns.

Mermaid Stories.

From All the Year Round.

In 1837, according to a Scottish magazine, the crew of a ship newly arrived in the Thames from the East Indies, reported that in the island of Mauritius they had partaken of a mermaid, the flesh of which was a good deal like veal. The mermaid weighed three or four hundred weight—rather a buxom specimen! The head was particularly large, and so were the features, which differed but little from those of a man or woman. The story tells of two of them, one with a beard four or five inches long, the other much more feminine. "When they are first taken," the narrator proceeds to say, "which is often on the ground, they cry and grieve with great sensibility." About the same time a story came from Vigo; in Spain, to the effect that some fishermen on that coast had caught a sort of mermaid; five feet and a half from head to foot. The head was like that of a goat, with a long beard and moustaches, a black skin, somewhat hairy, a very long neck, short arms, hands longer and larger than they ought to be in proportion, and long fingers, with nails like claws; webbed toes, and a fin at the lower part of the back.

The magazines for 1775 gave an account of a mermaid which was captured in the Levant and brought to London. One of the learned periodicals gravely told its readers that the mermaid had the complexion and features of a European, like those of a young woman; that the eyes were light-blue, the nose small and elegantly formed, the mouth small, the lips thin, "but the edges of them round like those of a codfish;" the teeth were small, regular and white; that the neck was well rounded, and that the ears were like those of the eel, "but placed like those of the human species, with gulls for respiration, which appear like curls." There was no hair on the head, but "rolls, which at a distance, migth be mistaken for curls." There was a fin rising pyramidally from the temples, "forming a foretop, like that of a lady's head-dress." The bust was nearly like that of a young damsel, a proper authordox mermaiden, but, alas! all below the waist, was exactly like a fish! Three sets of fins below the waist, one above the other, enabled her to swim. Finally, "It it is said to have an enchanting voice, which it never exerts except before a storm." The writer in the Annual Register probably did not see this mermaid, which the Gentleman's Magazine described as being only three feet high. It was afterward proved to be a cheat, made from the skull of the angle-shark.

A Welsh farmer named Reynolds living at Penyhold in 1782, saw a something which he appears to have believed to be a mermaid; he told the story to Dr. George Phillips, who told it to Mrs. Moore, who told it to a young lady pupil of hers, who wrote an account of it for Mrs. Morgan, who inserted it in her "Tour to Mil ford Haven." How much the story gained on its travels—like the Three Black Crows, or the parlor game of Russian Scandal—we are left to find out ourselves; but its ultimate form was nearly as follows: One morning, just outside the cliff, Reynolds saw what seemed to him to be a person bathing in the sea, with the upper part of the body out of the water. On nearer view, it looked like the upper part of a person in a tub, a youth, say, of sixteen or eighteen years of age, with nice white skin; a sort of brownish body and a tail were under the water. The head and body were human in form, but the arms and hands were thick in proportion to length, while the nose running up high between the eyes, terminated rather sharply. The mysterious being looked attentively at Reynolds, and at the cliffs, and at the birds flying in the air, with a wild gaze; but uttered no cry. Reynolds went to bring some companions to see the merman or mermaid, but when he returned it had disappeared. If we like to suppose that Reynolds had seen some kind of seal, and that the narration had grown to something else by repetition from mouth to mouth, perhaps we shall not be very far wrong.

List of Principal Poisons, with their Antidotes or Remedies.

Oil of vitriol, aqua fortis, spirit of salt—Magnesia, chalk, soap and water.

Emetic tartar—Oily drinks, solution of oak bark.

Salt of lemons or acid of sugar—Chalk, whiting, lime, or magnesia water. Sometimes an emetic draught.

Prussic acid—Pump on back, smelling salts to nose, artificial breathing, chloride of lime to nose.

Pearl ash, soap lees, smelling-salts, nitre, hartshorn, sal volatile—Lemon juice and vinegar and water.

Arsenic, fly powder or white arsenic, king's yellow or yellow arsenic—Emetics, lime-water, soap and water, sugar and water, oily drinks.

Mercury, corrosive sublimate, calomel—White of eggs, soap and water.

Opium, laudanum—Emetic draught, vinegar and water, dashing cold water on chest and face, walking up and down for two or three hours.

Lead, white lead, sugar of lead, Goulard's extract—Epsom salts, castor oil and emetics.

Copper, blue-stone, verdigris—Whites of eggs, sugar and water, castor oil, gruel.

Zinc—Lime water, chalk and water, soap and water.

Iron—Magnesia, warm water.

Henbane, hemlock, nightshade, foxglove—Emetic and castor oil, brandy and water if necessary.

Poisonous food—Emetics and castor oil.—*Paine's Practice.*

Another cotton factory is to be erected in South Carolina.

June.

Gleaming, golden, joyous June,
Now are birds in fullest tune,
And the richest flowers display
All their wealth of bright array;
Fair meridian of the year,
All things lovely hold you dear,
Earth no lovlier scene discloses
Than your bright and blushing roses.

Linger, sunshine! Speed not soon,
Silver-crested Juno's moon!
Stay to shed o'er hill and down
Gems from summer's shining crown;
Stay, and teach us by your light,
That our earth has something bright,
And our life full oft discloses
Flowers as fragrant as June roses.

Miscellaneous Items.

Dr. Reuchlin, the German historian of Italy, is dead.

Mr. Beecher proposes to take his hay fever spell in Colorado this year.

William S. Groesbeck is spoken of relation to the Chief Justiceship.

Earl Russell will lay the foundation stone of Newman Hall's new church.

Miss Braddon talks of a lecturing tour to America.

There are more "plebes" at West Point this year than ever before.

Patti's success in Vienna has been without precedent in that city.

Seventeen new women lecturers are counted for the coming season.

Among the elegant attractions promised at Saratoga is a series of contests among genuine English bull dogs.

Riel, the Captain Jack of the New Dominion, wants a seat in its Parliament.

Nast is likely to accept the advantageous offer made him to remain in London.

A biography of the late General Canby is to be written by General John P. Hawkins, his brother-in-law.

Madame Lucca has taken a dwelling at Kingston, Rhode Island, where she will spend the summer.

The President of San Salvador has addressed a letter to the Lord Mayor of London in behalf of the sufferers by the earthquake.

A. D. Williams is the richest man in the Old Dominion. He owns forty thousand acres of coal land in Western Virginia.

The Marquis of Ripon has been installed as GrandMaster of Free Masons of England, to succeed the late Earl of Zetland.

Minister Schenck's daughters are to preside at stalls at a forthcoming "grand charity fair" to be held in London.

Gov. Hartranft of Pennsylvania vetoed eighty-six bills, and at his request over one hundred were recalled and put in less objectionable shape.

Florida papers say that Silas Niblack is putting his back pay into a cotton factory. If Silas had been honest he would have put the funds into the greenback factory.

The oldest inhabitant of Eastern Massachusetts is believed to be Mrs. Beulah Hunt, of Randolph, near Boston, who will celebrate her one hundred and fourth birthday on the 13th of June.

"The oldest inhabitant of Illinois," as reported by the Monmouth Democrat, is Agnes Asson, of New Egypt, who was born in 1770, and enjoys good health and her pipe to a remarkable degree."

Shad fishing on the Hudson results in an average daily catch of 2,000 fish. One hundred and ninety-two boats valued at $16,459,205, nets worth $31,644, and 380 men to manipulate them, are employed in the fishery.

It is now the fashion in Paris at receptions for ladies to sit in the center of a room, back to back, on a large ottoman, and on sofas against the walls; the gentlemen stand and walk around the beehive. No position, let it be understood, can be more effective for the display of dress—if this be the grand object of holding receptions.

There is a curious relic to be seen in the Holy Trinity Church, Minories. It is nothing less remarkable than the head of the Duke of Sussex, the father of Lady Jane Gray. It is kept in a small tin box. There is a mark as from a cut with an axe upon the neck. The skin is very much like thick parchment.

A juvinile marriage has just taken place in Galveston, Texas, which reminds one of the runaway children in Mr. Dickens' pretty story. The Texas bride was only 12 years old and the bridegroom but 14. What is curious and embarrising is that the husband must go to school one year and the wife three, under the compulsory education law of Texas.

It is rather suspicious when a lady in Boston sends a letter written on black-boarded paper, inclosed in a mourning envelope, to a newspaper, asking the names of the old Board of Health. It suggests actions at law, especially as the aforesaid old board is said not to have been the most efficient one in the world, and the recent ravages of the small-pox in Boston are partly ascribed to its negligence.

Earthquakes seem likely to become a recognized characteristic of the northwest corner, if we may believe the story of T. J. McBride, who prints in the Walla Walla Statesman, of May 10, a statement that "since the 14th of February last the country in Washington Territory between the Wenatchee and Lake Chelan has not passed a single day free from earthquake visitation."

One of those dreadful accidents which wait on suicidal acrobatism has taken place recently in England. A performer, known as Leucati, the bycicle rider and spiral ascensionist, has received frightful injuries by falling with his bycicle from the top of a spiral column which he was in the act of descending, at the Vauxhall grounds, Wolverhampton. He fell at a height of forty feet.

The new opera of "Adam and Eve," it is thought, will be given up, the only manager who has yet attempted to produce it having had a difficulty with the prima donna in the matter of costume. The lady declines to take the character of "Eve" unless allowed to appear in a yellow satin train and a diamond necklace. Adam, also, exhibits a marked preference for a velvet tunic and a rapier. The great moral work will probably be handed over to the ballet people.

An Irishman being recently on trial for some offense, pleaded "Not guilty," and the jury being in the box, the State Solicitor proceeded to call Mr. Furkisson as a witness. With the utmost innocence Patrick turned his face to the Court and said: "Do I understand, your Honor, that Mr. Furkisson is to be a witness forninst me again? The Judge said dryly: "It seems so." "Well then, your Honor," exclaimed Pat, "I plade guilty, an' your Honor plase; not because I am guilty, for I am as innocent as your Honor's suckling baby, but jist on account o' savin Mr. Furkisson's sowl."

A Woman's Dream.

Wilt thou begin thy life again
O woman of thy whitening hair?
Become a child, with shining train
Of angel-children in the air?
Wilt feel thy mother's kisses press
Those cradled warmly at her feet?
"What! find my vanished Eden? Yes,
Ah, yes, my God! It was so sweet!"

"Wilt thou in blissful faith resume
Thy sire's fond shelter as of old,
While, breathing innocent perfume,
The white flowers of thy heart unfold?
Back to thy vernal happiness
Fly like a bird on pinions fleet?"
"Might but that joy continue,—yes,
Ah, yes, my God! It was so sweet!"

"Wilt thou unlearn thy sorry lore,
And shyly keep life's leaves between,
And, leading youngest hopes once more,
Forget the winters thou hast seen?
The dusied bank, the doves of peace,
The morning freshness round thy track;
Shall these return?" "My God! ah, yes!
All but the wayside graves give back!"

"Have, then, thy wish! Thy steps retrace!
Flowers, perfume, song, be thine once more!
Yet shall time lead thee to the place
O, tears as surely as before,
Rekindle Passion's fires, and view
Then ever-baleful radiance!"
What? light these earth born flames anew?
Ah, no, my Savior! Take me hence!"

FARM AND HOUSEHOLD.

Lime.

Domestic fowls need more lime than wild fowls, because they lay more eggs. The wild fowl lays a "setting," and then incubates, while the domestic lays on indefinitely. Crushed raw bones are among the very best articles for supplying lime. The pieces of bone found in patent fertilizer preparations cannot be recommended as healthful. This is the advice of the Poultry World.

Caterpillers.

Now is the time to look out sharply for caterpillers. They are busy weaving their nests and stripping the leaves of apple trees. It is the best way to take them while they are small, for if neglected till the leaves are full green, there is necessarily greater injury to the tree, to say nothing of the destruction they cause in the process of growth. Fix a brush on the end of a long pole and go at them. If the trees are kept perfectly clear of them this year, you will have less next, unless some careless and slovenly neighbor lets all his go to seed. Caterpillars are a sign of careless farming.

Salting Asparagus.

Salt may be spread on asparagus beds at any time during the season in heavy or light doses, and without injury. When the salt is scattered on the surface in June or July, it will save considerable work all the rest of the summer in hoeing and weeding, and at the same time plants, especially in young beds, will thrive under such treatment. The salt will not only furnish food, but will keep the surface moist. Five or six years ago a friend recommended the application of salt to paths to keep down weeds. Experience proved that the salt effected this result the first season very well indeed, but the following year the weeds appeared to flourish. But what was strange about it was that for three years after one could see at a glance any morning just how far the salt was spread on each walk from the dampness of the surface, when the other parts of the walk were apparently dry.

The same experiment was tried again still later, on another part of the garden, and with the very same result. It is, therefore, a reasonable conclusion to draw, that salt has strong hygrometric power, and this moisture does have a marked influence on vegetable growth, and especially on the growth of asparagus. It may be spread on very thick without injuring the plants. we have frequently put salt two inches in thickness on old asparagus beds without checking the growth, but there seemed no advantages in these heavy doses. A light sprinkling, say a bushel to two rods square, will be quite enough for all practical purposes. This may be applied, say every other year, to advantage. Some gardeners use a less quantity, and apply it every spring.—*Garden.*

Damp Stables.

Damp stables are especially to be avoided, whether from newness, or from being partly underground, or from being badly drained. Whatever the cause, it injures the health of the horse, and he never can be kept free from colds, coughs, etc., while in one so constructed as to produce damp. It should therefore be prevented by removing the cause, which may be effected in nearly every case, even underground, by proper drainage. If a stable must be under the surface, it is better to curtail its proportions by building an inside wall, leaving an air drain all around between it and the old wall, than to allow it to remain damp, and this is generally the cheapest way of effecting the change, for in order to get at the outside there is often a vast deal of valuable surface to be interfered with.

Preventing the Decay of Shingles.

The following, from the Scientific American, is said to effectually prevent the decay of shingles: Take a potash kettle or large tub, and put into one barrel of wood ashes lye, five pounds of white vitriol, five pounds of alum, and as much salt as will dissolve in the mixture. Make the liquor quite warm, and put as many shingles in it as can be conveniently wetted at once. Stir them up with a fork, and when well soaked take them out and put in more, renewing the liquor as necessary. Then lay the shingles in the usual manner. After they are laid, take the liquor that is left, put lime enough into it to make whitewash, and if any coloring is desirable add ochre, Spanish brown, lampblack, etc., and apply to the roof with a brush or an old broom. This wash may be renewed from time to time. Salt and lye are excellent preservatives of wood. It is well known that leach tubs, troughs, and other articles used in the manufacture of potash, never rot. They become saturated with the alkali, turn yellowish inside, and remain impervious to weather.

Effect of the Stock on the Bud on Graft.

Prof. S. B. Buckley, of Texas, writes the following communication to the Rural Alabamian, relating to the influence of the stock on the graft, which will be of much interest to those of our readers who have been engaged in investigating this subject:

"Although it has been known that the stock has more or less influence upon the graft, modifying to a greater or less degree the quality of the fruit, yet in practice it is not recognized or thought by most fruit growers. First, a large class of nurserymen bud and graft upon seedlings, paying no regard whatever to their origin or quality—the only consideration being to have the bud or germ true to name. This is one cause of the variations of different kinds of fruit, even in the same orchard and in trees growing near each other in the same variety of soil and subject to similar influences. We notice this particularly in our peach orchard the past season. Some trees of the Hale's early, growing near each other, differed in the time of ripening their fruit at least two weeks; besides the size of the fruit varied, and even its quality had a sensible difference. All this occurred in the same row of trees, and in similar soil. This can be accounted for only from the influence of the stock upon the bud. The late ripening fruit was on trees the roots of which were from seedlings of late ripening fruit, etc. The same modification in time of ripening, and also in size and quality of fruit, were noticed in several other kinds of peaches. A striking instance of the influence of the stock upon the bud was lately told us by Mr. Rutledge, of Pond Spring, in Williamson county, Texas. He budded Hale's early upon the wild plum. *Prunus umbellata*, which is quite common in the woods of this portion of the state. Its fruit is also generally very sour and unpalatable. The bud grew and bore fruit, but the peaches were more than a month later in their time of ripening, and also smaller and of inferior quality—not fit for men to eat, and only good for hungry hogs, or perhaps for cooking. The lessons taught by such instances are full of valuable suggestions to all fruit growers. Let the seed of the best kinds be planted, and the seedlings of these be budded or grafted. Also let the early kinds be chosen for budding or grafting with early kinds, and late with late, and then we will have more uniformity in the time of ripening, and also in the size and quality of the fruit. By this method, also, fruit will be improved, and the nurserymen who practice this mode of growing trees will establish a reputation which will cause them to be patronized by all intelligent fruit growers.

Domestic Recipes.

HOW TO MAKE VANITY.—Break two eggs into a pint of flour; stir the eggs and flour together without sticking, adding more flour if needed; roll very thin and work the dough over a good many times. Put in a square form, then cut slits inside the square about half an inch apart; twist them, then drop into heated lard and fry half a minute.

HOW TO CURE CHILLS.—A lady writer gives what she believes to be a sure cure of chills. She takes about a pint of new milk and stirs into it a tablespoonful of ground ginger, and then heats the milk as hot as it will do to drink without burning the patient. This is given to the patient as soon as he feels the symptoms of the chill coming on, and he goes to bed and covers up warmly, and the milk and the ginger throw the patient into a perspiration, which breaks the chill. After this a pill of blue mass, or some medicine that will operate on the liver, is given, and the patient is cured.

CUTLETS OF VEAL, LAMB OR SHOTE.—When the rack of veal is chosen, divide each bone separately, break an egg, and wet the pieces with it; then roll in bread crumbs, afterwards frying them in lard. Make a nice gravy with butter, pepper and salt, mixed with the bread crumbs. Any part of the veal almost, cut in small pieces, may be dressed in the same way. This dish must be thoroughly done to be good. Either a quarter of lamb or shote, cut up in small pieces—that is to say, the usual size for chops—may be dressed in the same way, and will be found very nice.

SPONGE CAKE PUDDING.—Melt some butter, and grease very well with it the inside of a fluted cake mold, using for the purpose a feather or brush. Then glaze the mold with powdered white sugar—that is to say, shake it about until the part greased is equally covered with the sugar, and looks white. Stone some raisins, and have ready a few currants, washed and picked. place them according to fancy in the curvings of the mold. Take some sponge cake—stale will do—and cut it up small, filling the mold with it, as you do so mixing lightly throughout currants and raisins rubbed in flour to prevent their falling. Beat up four eggs, the whites separately from the yolks, add four table spoonfuls of sugar, one to each egg, and then pour gradually to them until well combined three half pints of cold new milk, which quantity should be enough to fill the mold. Set your pudding in a pan containing enough water to come a little more than half way up the sides of the mold. Just as the water begins to boil see that the oven is so moderately heated as to insure the slow baking of the custard, else it might turn to whey. Do not let the pudding brown or burn; it should be done in about a quarter of an hour after the water has boiled around it. Sauce made thus: Four yolks of eggs beaten up with four table-spoonsfuls of sugar poured to a pint of milk allowed first to come to a boil. Return to the fire for about five minutes, stirring rapidly. Flavor with what you please; rose water is good. Turn out the pudding in a pretty dessert dish, pour the sauce around it, and the work is done. The above recipe is especially adapted to the wants of small families, upon whose hands cake is apt to accumulate and turn stale. An elegant and economical dish is thus prepared out of materials that would otherwise be wasted.

THE SKEPTICAL CONVINCED.—Every advance in Medicine, every new remedy has encountered an opposition, which is the test of truth. Galen and Jenner only were believed when they had proved their discoveries against opposition. But men are observing, and benefits always make believers. No incredulity can stand the silent argument of good results. When Dr. Walker proclaimed that he had produced from the medical herbs of California an Elixir that would regenerate the sinking system and cure diseases not organic, the incredulous shook their heads. Yet his VINEGAR BITTERS is now the Standard Restorative of the Western World. The truth could not be resisted. Under the operation of the new remedy, Dyspeptics regained their health, appetite and strength, the Bilious and Constipated were relieved of every distressing symptom; the Consumptive and Rheumatic rapidly recovered; Intermittent and Remittent Fevers were broken up; the taint of Scrofula was eradicated! Who could gainsay facts like these? Not even the Faculty. Skepticism was routed. All doubts as to the claims of the Bitters to the first place in the first rank of modern medicines were silenced, and this wonderful preparation is to-day the most popular Tonic, Alterative and Blood Depurent ever advertised in America. In common with other journalists, we are free to add our testimony to this remedy. It is a domestic medicine, and no household should be without it.—Com.

A CONNECTICUT railway conductor has received $2,500 by the will of a grateful lady passenger.

THE EAR.

How to Care for It.

The Popular Science Monthly for June says that probably the most frequent way in which the ear is impaired is in the attempt to clean it. It ought to be understood that the passage of the ear does not require cleaning by us. Nature undertakes that task, and in the healthy state fulfills it perfectly. Her means for cleaning the ear is the wax. Perhaps the reader has never wondered what becomes of the ear-wax. I will tell him. It dries up into thin, fine scales, and these peel off, one by one, from the surface of the passage, and fall out imperceptibly, leaving behind them a perfectly clean, smooth surface. In health the passage of the ear is never dirty; but, if we attempt to clean it we infallibly make it so Here—by a strange lack of justice, as it would seem, which, however, has no doubt, a deep justice at the bottom—the best people, those who love cleanliness, suffer most, and good and careful nurses do a mischief negligent ones avoid. Washing the ear out with soap and water is bad; it keeps the wax moist when it had ought to become dry and scaly, increases its quantity unduly, and makes it absorb the dust with which the air always abounds. But the most hurtful thing is introducing the corner of the towel, screwed up, and twisting it round. This does more harm to the ears than all the other mistakes together. It drives down the wax upon the membrane much more than it gets it out. Let any one who doubts this make a tube like the passage, especially with the curves which it possesses; let him put a thin membrane at one end, smear the surface with a substance like the ear wax, and then try to get it out so by a towel. But this plan does much more mischief than merely pressing down the wax. It irritates the passages and makes it cast off small flakes of skin, which dry up and become extremely hard, and these are also hardly pressed down upon the membrane. Often it is not only deafness that ensues, but pain and inflammation, and then matter is formed which the hard mass prevents from escaping, and the membrane becomes diseased, and worse may follow.

Washing should extend only to the outer surface, as far as the finger can reach. It it a bad practice, also, to put cotton wool, soaked in laudanum or chloroform, into the ear for the relief of toothache. When a child's ear becomes painful, as it often does, everything should be done to soothe it, and all strong, irritating applications should be avoided. Pieces of hot fig or onion should not be put in, but warm flannels should be applied, with poppy fermentation, if the pain should not soon subside.

It should be remembered that constantly covering up the ear is adapted to injure it. On the whole, men, in whom the ear is habitually exposed, suffer if anything less from ear disease than women, in whom it is often covered.

Rules for Handling a Gun.

The American Sportsman furnishes the following rules for the manipulation of shooting irons:

I. Never handle a gun unless you know how, nor suffer any person over whom you have control to handle one unless he knows how. You have no right to endanger your own life, or the lives of others by handling a dangerous weapon in any other than the safest manner.

II. Always handle a gun as if it was loaded; never let it point at yourself or any one else; never point a loaded or unloaded gun at any living thing unless you mean to kill. Hardly a week elapses that the papers do not report that some idiot has snapped a gun at his wife or daughter, supposing it unloaded and has therefore had the misfortune to kill a human being. The gallows should rid the community of such unmitigated fools.

III. Always carry your gun at half-cock; never with the hammer upon the cap. This rule is almost invariably violated by countrymen. A few experiments demonstrate its correctness.

1. Half cock your gun; if it will pull off in this condition, take an ax and split the stock, bend the barrel and sell it for old iron.

2. If it will not pull off put a cap on the cone and let the striker down upon it; now strike the back of the hammer with a stone or against the door jamb, and if the striker fits the cone decently well, the cap will be exploded. That is what happens when a man carrying a loaded gun with the striker down upon the cap, shoots himself while riding in a wagon, in tumbling down, or in climbing over a fence or stone wall.

3. Put a cap upon the cone and let the strike back almost to half-cock and let it fall. If the mainspring is good for anything, the cap is exploded. More accidents happen in this way than in any other. A gun is carried through underbrush, dragged out of a boat, pulled on the ground by the muzzle, your dogs jump upon you, the hammer catches in your clothing; in either of these, and in a hundred other ways, the hammer is liable to be drawn back almost to half-cock, and then let fall upon the cap. If the gun is a good one an explosion ought always to follow.

4. Now half-cock your gun, draw the hammer back nearly to full cock, and let it fall. It will stop in the half cock notch, and no blow is given. So, always carry your gun at half-cock. If you cock it, expect to get a shot, and are disappointed, hold the muzzle straight up in the air, and let the lock back at half-cock.

5. If you know of another way of ascertaining whether a gun is loaded or not, than by putting it into your mouth and blow, or if you feel inclined to draw the cap, retire to a safe distance, and at once blow out your brains, if you have any, before you kill or maim other people by your stupidity and carelessness.

The Extinguishment of Fires.

It has long been the theory of Mr. Joseph Bird, of Mount Auburn, Mass., that a great deal of water is wasted in the extinguishment of fires. To prove this, he gave a series of experiments on the 9th instant, before President Eliot and several professors of Harvard University. Nine empty rosin barrels, with heads and bottoms knocked out and filled with shavings, were set on fire, when the flames were extinguished by a very small quantity of water thrown on the exposed sides of the barrels. A large pile of rosin barrels, ten or twelve feet high, was then fired, and the fire extinguished by throwing on them about a bucketful of water by a double-acting hand-pump, through a pipe with an eighth of an inch nozzle. A frame building, eight feet by ten and eight feet high, filled with combustibles, was then fired, and the fire, which burned very fiercely, extinguished in one minute by one tubful of water. The experiments were thought to be very successful.

An American Paper in London.

The Buffalo Express, referring to the proposal to establish a newspaper on the American plan in the Capital of England says: There is no city in the world that offers such glorious opportunities to the first-class sensational reporter of free imagination as London. Reporters would find material there in the thousand-and-one anomalies, anachronisms, and ancient abuses of London political social life to give them a sensation every day for years to come. They would certainly horrify and outrage the big-wigs and Philistines generally, and would be regarded by the conservative British paterfamilias as emissaries of Satan himself; but they would turn the laugh against the proprietors, and carry the day and the people with them. They would let the light of publicity into dark corners, expose frauds and sharp practice that had gone unchallenged for years, turn the alms-houses, hospitals, and jails inside out, and play Paul Pry in high life and low, above and below stairs. Such a paper would annoy certain classes and grieve others, but it would succeed, and might, after establishing itself, eventually become the "newspaper of the future."

Valuable.

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Execution Sale.

By virtue of an execution, issued out of and under the seal of the Dist. Court of Carver Co. Minn. on the 17th day of April 1873, upon a judgment, in an action wherein Florian Lunenfelser and George Faber partners as Lunenfelser and Faber are plaintiffs, and E. S. Brown is defendant, I have levied upon the following described land in said County of Carver as the property of said defendant, E. S. Brown, viz: Lot 8 in Block 43, in the village of Carver as per plat thereof on file with the Register of Deeds of said County, and I shall sell the hereinbefore described property at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the Court house in said County on the 6th day of June 1873, at 10 o'clock A. M to satisfy the sum of $72 20, the amount of said execution and costs of sale.

Chaska April 22d, 1873.

F. HECKLIN,
Sheriff of Carver Co. Minn.

SUMMONS.

State of Minnesota, Dist. Court,
Eighth Judicial Dist.
County of Carver.

Louisa C. Moore, against Asa Moore.

The State of Minnesota, To the above named defendant:

You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action a copy of which is herewith served upon you and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscribers, at their office in Chaska in the county of Carver in the State of Minnesota within thirty days after the service of this Summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service, and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the Plaintiff in this action will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the said complaint.

Dated May 19th A. D. 1873.

BAXTER & PECK,
Plaintiff's Att'y's Chaska Minn.

Execution Sale.

By virtue of an execution issued out of and under the seal of the Dist. Court of Carver Co. Minnesota upon a judgment therein rendered on the 27th day of March 1872, in an action wherein L. Baxter & H. Peck partners as Baxter & Peck are plaintiffs and John N Johnson defendant for the sum of $370 86 and costs, in favor of said plaintiffs and against said defendants. I have levied upon the following described land and real estate, situate in said Carver Co. Minn. viz: The south west quarter & the west half of the south east quarter of the north east quarter of section twenty six (26), Township 117, Range 26, also the north west quarter and the west half of the west half of the north east quarter of the south east quarter of said section twenty six (26) containing one hundred acres of land more or less, and shall on the 5th day of July 1873 at the front door of the Court House in Chaska at 10 o'clock A. M. in the forenoon sell the above described premises at public auction or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said execution and costs of sale to the highest bidder therefor.

Dated May 21st 1873.

F. HECKLIN,
Sheriff of Carver Co. Minn.

State of Minnesota, County of Carver, in Probate Court. } S. S.

In the matter of the estate of Wesley Blackketter Sr. deceased

Whereas an instrument in writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Wesley Blackketter deceased late of said county has been delivered to this court.

And whereas Spicy Blackketter the widow of said deceased, has filed therewith her petition representing among other things that said deceased was a resident of said county at the time of his death, and praying that said instrument may be admitted to Probate, and that letters testamentary be issued to Ernest Hainlin Esq. of Watertown in said county. It is ordered that the proofs of said instrument and the petition be heard before this court at the Probate court room in the court house in Chaska in said county on the 4th day of August 1873 at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day when all concerned may appear and contest the probate of said instrument, and to show cause, if any they have, why the said Hainlin should not be appointed the executor of the last will and testament of said deceased.

Ordered further that notice thereof be given to all persons interested in the estate of said deceased by publishing a copy of this order for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing in the Valley Herald a weekly newspaper printed and published at Chaska in said county.

Dated at Chaska the 2d day of July 1873.

J. A. SARGENT, Judge Probate.

Mortgage Foreclosure.

Whereas default has been made in the condition of a certain mortgage bearing date May 13th A. D. 1872, made and executed by John Gerasak of Watertown Carver Co. Minnesota of the first part and Napoleon Steinmetz of Carver Co. Minnesota party of the second part and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said county of Carver on the 24th day of June A. D. 1872 at 2 o'clock p. m., in book "G" of mortgages pages 502 and which said mortgage contained the following pieces or parcels of land lying and being in the county of carver, State of Minnesota, to wit:

The south west quarter of the north west quarter of section number four in Township one hundred and seventeen of Range twenty five, and also; out lot number forty nine in the village of Watertown as surveyed, by R. H. Blanding and a plat thereof having been duly placed on file of record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said county of carver. And whereas there is due at the date of this notice, on said mortgage the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars and five cents, and no proceedings at law, or otherwise having been had to recover said sum or any portion thereof. Now therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of a power of sale in said mortgage contained and pursuant to statute in such case made and provided the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of said mortgaged premises at public auction to the highest bidder by the sheriff of said county of carver at the front door of the court house in Chaska in said county of carver on the 11th day of July A. D. 1873 at two o'clock of said day to satisfy said sum, interest and cost of sale, and the further sum of twenty five dollars Attorney fees as provided in said mortgage.

Dated at Chaska, May 25th 1873.

NAPOLEON STEINMETZ, Mortgagee.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure.

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the condition of a certain mortgage dated April 26 A. D. 1872 made and executed by Lorenz Golla and John Gerasak of Carver Co. Minnesota of the first part, and Napoleon Steinmetz of same place party of the second part, which said mortgage was duly recorded in the office of Register of Deeds in and for said county of carver on the 24th day of May A. D. 1872 in book "G" of mortgages page 502 and which said mortgage conveyed the following pieces and parcels of land lying and being in said County of Carver and State of Minnesota, to wit:

The south west quarter (¼) of the north west quarter (¼) of section fourteen in Township one hundred and seventeen (117) of Range twenty five (25), containing forty acres more or less — And also out lot forty nine (49) in the village of Watertown as surveyed by R. H. Blanding Esq and a plat thereof duly placed on file of record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said county of carver.

And whereas there is now due at the date of this notice, on said mortgage the sum of five hundred and thirty seven and 50 dollars, ($537.50) and no proceedings at law, or otherwise having been made to recover said sum or any portion thereof. Now therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of a power of sale in said mortgage contained and pursuant to statute in such case made and provided the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of said mortgaged premises at public auction to the highest cash bidder by the sheriff of said county of carver at the front door of the court house in Chaska in said county of carver on the 11th day of July A. D. 1873 at two o'clock of said day to satisfy said sum, interest and cost of sale, and the further sum of twenty five dollars Attorney fees as provided in said mortgage.

Dated at Chaska, May 25th 1873.

NAPOLEON STEINMETZ, Mortgagee.

SUMMONS.

State of Minnesota, County of Carver, } S. S.

The State of Minnesota To the Sheriff or any constable of said County. You are hereby commanded to attach the goods and chattels, moneys effects and credits of John Katterc or so much thereof as shall be sufficient to satisfy the sum of $70 with interest and cost of suit wherever hands or possession the same may be found in your County and so provide that the goods and chattels so attached may be subject to further proceedings thereon as the law requires and also to summons the said John Katterc if to be found, to be and appear at my office in said County on the 31st day of May A. D 1873, at 10 o'clk in the forenoon to answer to Joseph Winninghoff in a civil action to his damage one hundred dollars or under.

Given under my hand at Chaska this 31 day of May A D 1873.

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Notice Mortgage Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage dated and made executed and delivered by John Dunn and Marin Dunn mortgagors on the third day of July A. D. 1871 to Levi Pierce mortgagee and duly recorded on the fifth day of July A. D. 1871 at 2 o'clock P. M. in the office of the Register of Deeds of Carver county Minnesota in Book "G" of mortgages on page 459, mortgaging the following described property situated in carver county Minnesota, to-wit:

The south east quarter (¼) of section eight (8) Township one hundred and sixteen (116) of Range twenty six (26). Also the south west quarter (¼) of section eleven (11), Township one hundred and sixteen (116) of Range twenty six (26) containing three hundred and twenty acres more or less.

Upon which said mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of one thousand and forty three dollars and sixty four cents, and no proceedings at law having been had to collect the sum or any part thereof.

Now therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained and of the statute in such cases made and provided the said mortgaged premises will be sold at public auction by the sheriff of Carver county [illegible] to the highest bidder for cash on Saturday the 12th day of July A. D. 1873 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of said day at the front door of the Court House in the Town of Chaska in said county to satisfy the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage and the costs and expenses of foreclosure and sale.

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Notice to Town Assessors.

The different Township Assessors of the County of Carver, are hereby notified to meet at the County Auditors office, at the court House, Chaska, at 11 o'clk on Saturday the 31st day of May next 1873. Each assessor is expected to be present at the above time, as business of importance is expected to come before said meeting.

Chaska, April 31st 1873

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United States Internal Revenue.

NOTICE TO

Special-Tax Payers

The law of December 24, 1872, requires every person engaged in any business, avocation, or employment, which renders him liable to a

SPECIAL TAX

to procure and place conspicuously in his establishment or place of business.

A STAMP.

denoting the payment of said Special Tax before commencing business.

The taxes embraced within the provisions of law above quoted are the following viz:

Rectifiers	$200 00
Dealers, retail liquor	25 00
Dealers, wholesale liquor	100 00
Dealers in malt liquors, wholesale	50 00
Dealers in malt liquors retail	20 00
Dealers in leaf tobacco	25 00
Retail dealers in leaf tobacco, and on sales of over $1,000, fifty cents for every dollar in excess of $1,000,	500 00
Dealers in manufactured tobacco	5 00
Manufacturers of stills	50 00
and for each still or worm manufactured	20 00
Manufacturers of tobacco	10 00
Manufacturers of cigars	10 00
Peddlers of tobacco, first class, (more than two horses)	50 00
Peddlers of tobacco, second class, (two horses)	25 00
Peddlers of tobacco, third class, (1 horse)	15 00
Peddlers of tobacco, fourth class (on foot or public conveyance	10 00
Brewers of less than 500 barrels	50 00
Brewers of 500 barrels or more	100 00

Any person who shall fail to comply with the foregoing requirements will be subject to severe penalties.

Special-tax Payers throughout the United States are reminded that they must make application to the Collector of their respective districts and procure the proper stamp for the Special tax Year, commencing May 1, 1873, without waiting for further notice.

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Probate Notice.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, COUNTY OF CARVER IN PROBATE COURT. } S. S.

In the matter of the Guardianship of minor children of Martin A. Atmi age.

To William [illegible], former guardian of said minors:

You are hereby summoned to be and appear before this court in this county, on Monday, the 7th day of July 1873 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, to render your account of said minors. Hereof fail not. Given under my hand and seal of said court this 7th day of June 1873.

J. A. SARGENT, Judge Probate.

M. M. MEAD M. D.

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BY F. E. DU TOIT.

CHASKA THURSDAY JULY 10 1873.

Chaska Flouring Mill Sold.

This valuable and extensive manufacturing establishment has been sold by Messrs. Strait & Co. to E. H. Reidell & Co. of Faribault.

Messrs. Strait & Co. purchased this property about one year ago, and with their characteristic energy and business ability have operated the mill successfully, showing that a mill can be made to pay here if sufficient capital is employed to run it. The mill since last October has purchased 73,000 bushels of wheat, and have manufactured over 16,000 barrels of flour. The manufacturing of this large amount of flour has been the means of keeping in employment 16 men. The mill has never been better managed and never has it given to the farmers the satisfaction that it has the past season.

The new proprietors are the present owners of the celebrated "Dike Mill" of Faribault—are experienced millers and possessed of large means. They have manufactured the past year over 30,000 barrels of flour.

The facilities offered by our rail road and river will enable them to ship from Chaska to Sea-board Cities at equally as good. if not better rates, than from Faribault, while the wood and grain can be furnished less. The new owners propose placing in the mill the most improved machines for handling middlings, another run of stone, also they will erect a large brick cooper shop, and expect during the coming year to manufacture their own barrel material, this will add to the growth of our city.

The management of the mill will be under the charge of E. H. Riedell who will be assisted by I. M. Fuller a scientific miller.

The new firm are endorsed by leading men of Faribault as men of strict integrity, prompt and responsible, and we would recommend them to citizens of Carver County, and bespeak for them the same courtesy as has been shown to Strait & Co.

Grant and Dan Sickles.

From the New York Sun.

The Nation has recently put forth an extraordinary statement respecting President Grant's share in the revolution which took place in the management of the Erie Railway Co., in the spring of 1872. This statement is as follows:

"The President of the United States was entitled to no voice in its management. Yet, notwithstanding these self-evident facts, the President of the United States gave Gen. Sickles leave of absence from his post at Madrid to come home and engage in an effort to gane control of this road. Not only did he give Gen. Sickles a leave of absence to come, but on his arrival, issued a preposterous order, authorizing an inspection of the books of the Erie Railway an order so absurd that it was afterward revoked by the Secretary of the Treasury."

The order of the President, in which he undertook to give General Sickles authority to take possession of the books of the Erie Railway Company and inspect them. was based, as we understand, upon an assumption that the company had not paid the amount of taxes due from them to the Internal Revenue Department. Upon this assumption Gen. Grant signed this astonishing mandate empowering the Minister to Madrid to break open the safe of the company and take possession of its books. The President had no more right to give such an order than he had to order Gen. Sickles to put on the robes of Archbishop Mc Closkey and say mass in St. Patrick's Cathedral. The one was just as great a violation of the law and of propriety as the other would have been. And yet the President did not fear to give it his official sanction and signature.

If anything of this sort had been proven against Andrew Johnson in the impeachment trial, not all the ability and learning of Mr. Grosbeck, Judge Curtis and Mr. Evarts would have saved the accused President from conviction and punishment.

—Gen. Jasper Packard. Mr. Colfax's successor in Congress, publishes a three column defense of his own share in the salary steal, saying, among other reasons, that he "voted for the measure for the same reason that induced the President to sign it."

HOME ITEMS

HERALD AGENT CARVER—G. A. DU TOIT

Lake Superior & M. R. R.

Trains arrive and depart from the Chaska depot as follows:

GOING NORTH.....9:50 A. M.
6:20 P. M.
GOING SOUTH.....8:33 A. M.
5:03 P. M.

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2:00 P. M.	5:10 P. M.
6:20 p. m	

H. & D. TRAINS,

Going West, 1.20 P. M. Going East, 9;00 A. M.

New Buildings.

We are at last able to announce, and with great pleasure, indeed, the contemplated erection of two new business houses within a few weeks, upon the most prominent streets of Chaska, which will be both a credit to the owners thereof and an honor to the city.

The first is a two story brick building with basement, fronting upon 2d street, of which the first story is to be occupied as a hardware store and the upper story as a hall. Stone is already being hauled for the cellar. The building is to be located upon the corner of second and chestnut streets and will have an imposing appearance. Phillip Henk is the projector thereof.

Peter Barthel will commence excavating this week, for a two story hotel, to be built on the lot just above the new Drug store. It will be a large, well finished building, and will add materially to the appearance of that part of town.

DAHLGREEN ITEMS.—Our correspondent *Pioneer*, sends us the following interesting items from well known Dahlgreen,

Lewrence Eichmiller, is building one of the finest and best brick farm buildings in the county. It will be completed within a month,

Fritz Frank has completed a brick residence upon his farm, and is now enjoying solid comfort. Fritz deserves his good luck.

Mike Preis, celebrated the completion of a large new frame barn last Sunday, having invited his neighbors and friends from Carver—treated them to a splendid repast &c. The Carver singing society was present and treated the company to several popular songs. Everything passed off pleasantly and to the satisfaction of all.

George Guettler is building a large new barn upon his farm. Mr. C. Bachman of Young America, is or was the builder of the above structures.

Phillip Siegel, better known as big "Phillip," gave a party a week ago Sunday which was attended by the entire neighborhood in honor of his having 11 "Gevattermaenner." Eat, drink and be merry was his motto—which the company seemed to fully appreciate.

WACONIA ITEMS.—We are furnished by our correspondent, with the following items, from that vicinity,

A young man by the name of Fritz Ferber, was drowned in Heyds Lake on Saturday the 28th of June last, while fishing from a boat. It is supposed that he fell from the boat and being unable to swim, met with his death.

This young man and his brother had been working out for the last year to raise money to get their parents over from Germany and they had but just arrived, when the accident happened. Much sorrow is felt by the community at his sudden death.

Mr. Metzold, of the Lake View House gave a grand Pic nic, on the Island last Sunday, which was largely attended by the citizens of Waconia and vicinity.—The Watertown Brass Band furnished the music. A grand good time was enjoyed by those present

Mr. Herman Logering an old citizen of this township, was married last Tuesday. The wedding was largely attended and the company enjoyed themselves highly. Long life and happiness.

☞ The premium list of the Agricultural Society appears in another column. Farmers should labor to make the fair a grand success this fall. It is important to the farming interest of the County

REAL ESTATE SALES.—Sales of real estate in this village continue brisk as changes are being made weekly in the ownership of real property, which is a healthy indication for the future of Chaska.

Wm. Ochs, purchased on Monday last, of Peter Barthel the house and lot opposite the Court House, paying $1200.

Mr. Barthel subsequently purchased of Frank Missler the vacant lot just above the new drug store for $350.

BENTON ITEMS.—We spent one evening in Benton, last week and gathered a few "items" of interest to our readers in that section of the County.

Geo. Bleichner has given up the hosel business and has turned his whole attention to the mercantile business.

L. Hochhaueu, has a very creditable hardware store in full blast and is doing a good business.

Mathias Ertz, has been appointed post-master and is also doing a fine store business

Ed. Reusse is building a new dwelling house near the mill and will as soon as completed occupy the same and rent his farm.

The mill of the Messrs. Kronschnable & Co., is running right along and is giving good satisfaction.

Our old friend Robert Miller, has rented the old stand of Co. Auditor L. Streukens and is now ready to see his old friends and will furnish them with a good glass of beer.

We are also informed by Mr. Allen the station agent that quite a freight business is done at the Benton station, which speaks well for the place.

PERSONAL.—Chas. Bachmann, of Young America, the master builder of this County was in town on Monday afternoon, calling upon his many friends.

Ernst Poppitz, the merchant and farmer of Laketown, was in town on business Monday.

Robt Irvine, an old an well known Attorney of Belle Plaine, made us a call during the week.

A. J. Carlson, and Jos. Wessbecher, County Commrs. were in town on Monday and made us calls.

Capt. H. Muhelberg, formerly of Carver, and during the war, Capt. in the 5th Minn. Infty, called upon his many friends in town on Monday last.

Mr. Mosbaugh, the station agent of the H. & D. R., at this place, returned home last Monday, from a visit to the "old folks" at home in Indiana.

THE COMING SENSATION.—The Great Paris Pavillion Circus and animal show, in all its pomp, magnitude and multitudinous attractions, consisting of an unparalelled number of male and female performers, will exhibit in this city on Saturday July 12th. The reputation of this show is such that all expectations of a feast of pleasure will doubtless be realized fully. So much has been said, seen and heard of the excellence of this show, and its reputation is so wide and familiar to all, that praise is almost superfluous. The following will give a faint idea of the many excellent artists: Four clowns, numerous representatives of equestrianism, feats of strength, grace and agility, equilibrium and gravitation, startling trapeze and mid-air gyrations, ludicrous scenes, comic and sentimental vocalism, extraordinary exhibitions of animal sagacity and brute strength, intelligence and beauty, a troupe of wild Indians, etc., etc,. Such artists as Fred O'Brien, the acknowledged champion double somersault leaper of the world, are features not to be seen at every circus, and his act is really alone worth the visit. See adv. 4th page.

☞ Read the proposal, inviting bids for the building of a Catholic Church building at Waconia.

AUCTION.—Simon Mack will sell a full set of mechanics tools at auction at Peter Iltis, on Saturday afternoon, the 19th day of the present month.

An Eminent Scientific Man—explains why Prof. "Anderson's Dermador" acts so much more promptly than other applications in curing sore parts, as follows: The usual applications, such as plasters and poultices. confine the heat, so it escapes with difficulty, and the cure must be slow.

The Dermador acts in direct opposition to all such applications—it keeps the skin moist, and instead of confining it conducts the heat off, and reduces the inflamation immediately. See advertisement in another column.

Carver Items.

DEAD.—John Gustavson, Propr. of the Rail Road Hotel, died last week.—He had been sick for a long time. He was highly respected by all, and his death is sincerely mourned by our citizens generally. He leaves a large family of children, but in good circumstances, the hotel has been closed and as soon as an administrator is appointed, it will be for rent. A. M. Swenson will be administrator. A good choice.

PERSONAL.—Capt. R. L. Gorman and family of St. Paul passed the 4th in Carver with the family of Mr. Denny. It looked natural to see 'Dicks" pleasant countenance on our streets again.—He is now clerk of the Board of Public works of St. Paul, a position he is every way qualified to fill.

Our popular County Treasurer, Frank Hassenstab, spent an hour or two among his friends on Tuesday.

Hon, J. S. Letford returned from Brown County on Monday. He reports the crops in splendid condition in that county.

Ernest Haulin Esq. of Watertown, paid us a visit last week.

Adolf Brown, traveling agent of the "Inman Line Steamship Co." was in town on Tuesday, and appointed How Strait & Co. as the agents in Carver for that celebrated company.

Hon Dana E. King was in town "prospecting" during the week. He reports the crops in this county looking well.

SOLD.—Mathias Zimmer near Oberles corner, has sold his farm of 160 acres to Andrew Herlitz for $5000, Mr. Z. and Mr. Lorenz Steger will move into town. Two good citizens.

SHOT.—Frank Gifford of Louisville, had a valuable horse shot by some rascal on Sunday last. If the person who did that cowardly act could be found, a load of No. 5 shot would do him good.

THE 4TH.—A good time was had on the 4th among our people. There was a dance at the hall in the evening, which was well attended. Tom Newman also had a good crowd and all seemed to enjoy themselves. It was good to be there.

PROMOTED.—Our friend J. H. O'Bryan of the Dummy has been promoted to a conductorship on the Sioux City Road. Glad to hear it.

CATTLE.—Alex. McDougal of Minneapolis, bought thirteen pair of cattle during the week. They are intended for the Government service.

In Town.—Mr. Schenck, Commission merchant from St. Louis, and a brother of Mrs. Zanger, is spending a few weeks with his sister.

Won It.—Hugh Hoy of San Francisco town won a purse of $60. at the races on the 4th at Belle Plaine, He has a good horse.

Shipping.—Wilcox & Derwent of the Carver mill are shipping 500 barrels of flour to New York.

And our two brick yards are also shipping 350 thousand brick to St. Paul by barges.

Changed Time.—The Hastings train has changed time, now leaving here at 8:50 in the morning, this is the mail train, take notice.

INDIANA JUSTICE.

From the New Albany Ledger-Standard.

Within the past five or six years nineteen persons have been hanged within the limits of this judicial district, by vigilance committees, or to give them their proper, shame suggesting name, mobs. Tully and Brown were given short shrift and a short rope in Jackson county, at Brownstown. Three men were hung on a beech tree in the same county. A negro man was hung between Courtland and Freetown, in what is known as the White Creek Slashes. Shortly afterward two men were hung on the same beech tree, from the limbs of which three men before them had strangled to death. Four men were hanged in the Floyd county jail, at New Albany. Two men were strangled to death on the Lost river bridge, between Orleans and Paoli, in Orange county. Three negroes were hung in Clark county, and now the mob has glutted its vengeance on Heffree, at Salem, and hung him without mercy, like a dog. All of these outrages were perpetrated within the limits of five counties. Jackson county has hanged eight men, and, if injustice is not done her, her citizens hanged the four men (who were sent from that county to the Floyd county jail for protection) who suffered death in the jail at New Albany. Orange county has two, to eternally stain her record, Clark county must account for the lives of three negroes. Washington county has just tasted the sweets of mob law, in her first midnight hanging. A terible record, indeed!

Proposal for Building Brick Church.

Proposals are invited for the building of a brick Church at Waconia, with stone foundation 40x75, besdies sanctuary. The contract will be let to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders, the brick work by the thousand and the stone work by the perch—material furnished. The foundation must be completed on or before the 1st of October next, and the brick work next spring or summer, at a time to be specified hereafter.

Sealed bids will be received by the undesigned up to July 25th, when they will be opened and the contract awarded.

FRANCIS TOPLAK, Pastor,
Catholic Church, Waconia Minn.

Premium List of the Carver County Agricultural Society.

Fair to be held at Carver on the 26th and 27th days of September A. D. 1873.

	HORSES.	
1st Prem.	work horses	$3 00
2d "	do	1 50
1st "	Saddle horse	1 50
1st "	Matched horses	2 00
1st "	Brood mare and colt	3 00
1st "	Mares	2 00
1st "	Stallion	3 00
1st "	Filly	1 50
2d "	do	1 00
	CATTLE.	
1st "	work oxen	2 50
2d "	do	1 25
1st "	Steers, 3 years and under	1 75
2d "	do	1 00
1st "	Bull	2 00
1st "	Milch cow	2 00
1st "	Heifer	1 00
	SWINE.	
1st "	Boar	2 00
2d "	do	1 00
1st "	Sow	2 00
1st "	Pigs under 5 months	1 00
	FOWLS.	
1st "	Coop of chickens	1 00
2d "	do	75
1st "	Ducks	75
1st "	Turkeys	75
1st "	Geese	75
1st "	Collection of fancy fowls	75
	GRAIN.	
1st "	Winter wheat	1 00
2d "	do	50
1st "	Spring wheat	1 00
2d "	do	50
1st "	Oats	1 00
2d "	do	50
1s "	Barley	50
1st "	Rye	100
1st "	Corn	1 00
2d "	do	75
1st "	Early beans	50
1st "	Late do	50
1st "	Buckwheat	75
	VEGETABLES.	
1st "	Potatoes	1 00
1st "	do early	1 00
1st "	do late	1 00
1st "	Squash	50
1st "	Variety of squash	75
1st "	Sugar Beet	50
1st "	Blood do	50
1st "	Mangel Wurzel	50
1st "	Ruta bagas	50
1st "	Turnip	50
1st "	Cabbage	50
1st "	Onions	50
1st "	Tomatoes	25
1st "	Carrots	25
1st "	Turnips	25
1st "	Cauliflower	50
2d "	do	25
1st "	Kohl Rabbi	25
1st "	Pumpkins	50
1st "	Water melons	50
1st "	do variety	75
1st "	Musk melon	50
1st "	Cucumbers	50
1st "	Peppers	50
1st "	Egg plant	25
1st "	Collection of vegetables	1 00
	FRUITS.	
1st "	Winter apples	3 00
2d "	do	1 50
1st "	Fall apples	2 50
2d "	do	1 25
1st "	Summer apples	2 00
1st "	varieties of crabs	3 00
1st "	Largest apples	1 00
1st "	Grapes	1 00
2d "	do	75
1st "	do display	1 00
	PRODUCTIONS.	
1st "	Flour	1 00
1st "	Butter	1 00
2d "	do	50
1st "	Cheese	1 00
2d "	do	50
1st "	Comb honey	1 00
2d "	do	50
1st "	Extracted honey	50
1st "	Hand soap	1 00
1st "	Woolen yarn	50
	IMPLEMENTS AND MACHINERY.	
1st Prem.	Sewing Machine	Diploma.
1st "	Fanning do	do
1st "	Single wagon	do
2d "	do	do
1st "	Washing machine	do
1st "	Plow	do
1st "	Harrow	do
1st "	Stove and furniture	do
1st "	reaper	do
1st "	Mower	do
1st "	Seeder	do
1st "	Cultivator	do
1st "	Collection of farming implts.	do
	NEEDLEWORK.	
1st "	Machine needle work	1 00
2d "	do	75
1st "	Hand needle work	1 00
2d "	do	75
1st "	Fancy needle work	75
1st "	d9	50
1st "	Displap of millinery	1 50
	FLOWERS.	
1st "	Variety of flowers	1 00
2d "	do	50
	PAINTINGS.	
1st "	Oil painting	1 00
2d "	do	75
1st "	Crayon	75
1st "	Pencilling	50
	PENMANSHIP.	
1st "	Writing	1 00
2d "	do	50

Dictionary premiums may be awarded upon articles not enumerated in the above, when they display merit. Two premiums will not be awarded on the same article. Entry to persons not members of the association one dollar, to members fifty cents. Price of admission to fair building 10 cents a person. Entries to be made on the first day unless the time is extended at the regular meeting.

June 21st 1873,

THEO. BOST, President.
FRANK WARNER, Secretary.

Republican County Convention.

The Republican county convention of carver county will be held at Waconia on Friday the 11th day of July 1873 at 12 o'clock m. for the purpose of electing four delegates to attend the Republican State convention to be held in Saint Paul on the 16th inst., and transacting such other business as may properly come before said county convention.

The delegates to said convention are apportioned among the several towns as follows, vis:

Benton,	3
Camden,	1
Chaska,	5
Chanhassen,	3
Carver,	5
Dahlgreen	7
Hollywood,	3
Handcock,	2
Laketown,	4
San Francisco,	7
Waconia,	5
Watertown,	8
Young America,	3

By order of the Co. Committee.
J. A. C. FLOOD, Chairman.

VILLAGE ORDINANCES.

ORDINANCE No. 5.

Be it ordained by the Village Board of Chaska.

SEC. 1. That the regular monthly meeting of the Village Board of the Village of Chaska be and are hereby fixed upon the first Wednesday of each and every month until otherwise ordered to meet at the store of Messrs. Franken & Staken at the hour of 7½ o'clock p. m. of said days.

Approved, May 28th 1873.

F. E. DU TOIT, President Board of Trustees.
Attest: J. FRANKEN, Clerk.

ORDINANCE No. 6.

Be it ordained by the Village Board of Chaska.

SEC. 1. Any disorderly or intoxicated person found in any street, alley, square, saloon, or other public place in this Village, shall be arrested and confined in Jail until he shall become orderly or sober, not exceedidg twenty four hours.

SEC. 2. The Marshall of the Village hereby empowered, and it is hereby made his duty, to arrest any disorderly or intoxicated person found in any street, alley, square, saloon, or other public place in this Village, without warrant and confine him in jail, there to be kept until he shall become orderly or sober, not exceeding twenty four hours.

SEC. 3. Such disorderly person shall be arraigned before the Village Justice at the earliest moment practicable after such arrest, and if found guilty of being disorderly or intoxicated as aforesaid, shall be fined not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, for the benefit of the Village.

SECT. 4. The trial of any offender under this Ordinance shall be conducted the same as criminal cases in Justices Court, under our annual statutes of this State, except as herein provided.

Approved, May 26th 1873.

F. E. DU TOIT, President Board of Trustees.
Attest, J FRANKEN, Clerk.

VILLAGE ORDINANCE No. 7.

SEC. 1. All persons are hereby forbidden prohibited and restricted from selling giving or dealing in spirituous, vinous malt or fermanted liquors within this Village unless duly licensed by the Village Board of Trustees of said Village.

SEC. 2. Any person desiring a licence under this Ordinance must file their application therefore with the Village Clerk of said Village on or before the 1st day of July A. D. 1873, and pay the said Clerk for the use of the Village the sum of twenty five dollars for a license for one year.

SECT. 3. Whoever sells, barters, gives or deals in spirituous, vinous, malt or fermented libuors, within the limits of said Village, without first having obtained a license, therefore, agreeable to the provisions of this Ordinance or disposes of any spirituous, vinous, malt or fermented liquors, under any protext, or in any manner, from which an intention to evade this ordinance appears, shall be fined not less than twenty five nor more than one hundred dollars for each offence.

SECT. 4. All persons engaged in the various business hereafter mentioned shall pay an annual license as follows, viz:

Proprietors of General stores,	25,00
Attorney at Law (each member)	5,00
Harness makers,	5,00
Publishers,	5,00
Proprietors of meat markets,	5,00
Proprietors of Millinery Stores,	5,00
Circus per day,	10,00
Traveling Troupes (each entertainment,)	5,00
Owners of Steam Flouring mills,	10,00
Peddlers, per year,	10,00
Auctioneers license unless residents of this County,	5,00
Proprietors of Livery Stables.	5,00

Any person who shall hereafter establish or carry on any business within the limits of said Village for which a license is required by the provisions of this section without having first obtained a license, therefore shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in a sum not exceeding thirty dollars nor less than five dollars for each and every offence.

SECT. 5. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force on and after this 4th day of June A. D. 1873. Approved.

Attest, J. FRANKEN, Clerk.
F. E. DU TOIT, President Bord of Trustees.

JOS. FRANKEN. JOS. STAKEN.

FRANKEN & CO.

New Drug STORE.

CHASKA. .. .. .. MINN.

Have just opened a new Drug Store and offer for sale a complete stock of

DRUGS & MEDICINE,

Perfumery,

Fancy,

And

Toilet Articles.

Glass, Oils,

Paints

And Varnishes,

Stationery,

AND

All Kinds

of Books,

Patent Medicines.

AND ALL OTHER ARTICLES USUALLY KEPT IN A FIRST CLASS DRUG STORE.

☞ Prescription carefully compounded at all hours from the purest Medicines.

FRANKEN & CO.

THE NEWS.

At Home.

THERE is considerable excitement in St. Claire, Mich., over the discovery of petroleum indications.

A MOB at Salem, Ind., broke open the jail shot and wounded Chas. Heffron, confined on a charge of murder, and then took him out and hung him.

EIGHTY-FIVE HUNDRED emigrants arrived at New York last week.

JESSE GRANT, father of the President, died at Covington, Kentucky, Sunday night.

THE Missouri river has made a cut-off four miles south of Onawa, Iowa, transferring about 1,500 acres of land to Nebraska.

W. H. THOMPSON, justice of the peace, shot and killed Peter Reybolt at Greenville, Ind., Saturday. Thompson is on bail for $10,000.

IN the Criminal Court at Baltimore, on Saturday, James West, colored, was convicted of the murder of Ann Gibson, and Levin Palmer, colored, of rape on a white girl. Both were sentenced to be hung.

A STRANGE mystery, involving the alleged disappearance of eighteen helpless children who had been committed as infant paupers to public institutions on Blackwell's Island, New York, is being investigated by the Commissioners of Charities. The little creatures, it is alleged, were farmed out to a lady, and she seems to be unable to tell whether they are living or dead.

THE New York News says Oliver Charlick has brought suit against the Times for alleged libel on ten different articles published in that paper within the space of one month, $10,000 damages being laid on each case.

DURING a row among gamblers in New York, on Saturday night, James Fitzpatrick was thrown from a window to the area below, receiving fatal injuries.

FOUR weeks ago Mr. S. D. Cozzen, a well-known patent lawyer of New York, left there to come to Chicago, for the purpose of arguing the case of Sykes vs. the Northwestern road in relation to the Tanner brake, which has been running for twelve years. He has not yet arrived in Chicago, and his relatives in New York, who have only recently learned that fact, are anxious to know his whereabouts.

THE Superior Court of New York has confirmed the judgement against the railroad company awarding $50,000 to the widow of Avery D. Putnam, the victim of the car-hook murder.

THE various departments in Washington have made a decision to send all mail matter, which can be sent cheaper by express than by post, by the Adams Express Company. The amount of matter which will come under this rule will be very large, and it will reach, it is believed, $300,000.

STRONG shocks of earthquake were felt in the north of Italy, Sunday morning. A dispatch from Treviso reports that at Taletto, near Conegliano, about 55 miles north of Venice, a church was destroyed by the earthquake and 38 persons killed; and in four villages near Vittoria, 14 persons were killed and many injured.

A VIOLENT rain storm in Vienna, Saturday night, flooded the exhibition grounds, and did much injury. The American department and the German gallery were badly damaged. The roof of the Chicago restaurant was driven in and the building and contents ruined.

AN official telegraphic dispatch from Gen. Kauffman, announces that the capital of Khiva was occupied by the Russian forces on the 10th of June. The Khan of Khiva fled to Yumander.

THE west half of the third floor of the stove store of S. H. Ransom & Co., Nos. 6 and 8 River street, Chicago, gave way on Thursday afternoon, the fourth and fifth floors following. Three hundred tons of stoves were precipitated to the basement, and, of course, smashed into fragments. The loss of the firm is estimated at $5,000.

THE Des Moines Valley Railroad will be sold at public sale on the 25th of July, to satisfy decrees to the amount of about $6,000,000, rendered in the Circuit Court at Des Moines on the 31st day of May last. The entire line, from Keokuk to Fort Dodge, including the land grant of the company, will be sold.

AGNES SCHMIDT, daughter of a wealthy Jewish merchant of Pittsburg, was admitted into the Catholic Church in that city on Friday. Her father and mother are traveling in Europe, and unaware of the step their daughter has taken.

IT is reported in Washington that about $175,000 of the certificates of the indebtedness of the District of Columbia were recently obtained from the engravers of the certificates in Washington, on a forged order of the Governor, and put upon the market in Northern cities. The matter is in the hands of detectives.

A MONGOLIAN maiden was sold for $575 at a Chinese auction in Idaho, a few days ago.

A TORNADO passed over La Salle and Rockford, Ill., on Friday, demolishing several houses in each place.

A WIND-STORM at Clinton, Iowa, on Friday, released $10,000 worth of logs in the boom of the Clinton Lumber Company, but many of them were saved by lodging against other booms.

LONDON bankers refuse to accept any more of our new bonds until their genuineness is fully certified.

HAMILTON, Nev., was destroyed by fire on Friday, causing a loss of $500,000.

A RAFT containing one million feet of lumber arrived at Chicago, from Ludington, Mich., on Friday, having been towed across the lake by tugs.

ALLEN, the Revere National Bank messenger, of Boston, who disappeared several weeks ago, has returned, and paid back the bonds which disappeared with him.

THE trustees of the University of Chicago, at a meeting on Friday, decided to admit young women to the privileges of the college classes on the same footing with young men.

A TENDER of a steam fire engine upset in New York, on Saturday, fatally injuring two men.

BY an explosion of fire works near Columbus, Ohio, Friday night, David Webb lost his life and a Mr. Housman was badly injured.

OF the 293 new money-order offices that are to be established as such by the Post-office Department on the 7th of July, seven will be in Ohio, eight in Indiana, thirty-three in Illinois, ten in Missouri, twenty-two in Michigan, eleven in Wisconsin, and sixteen in Iowa. This will increase the total number of money-order post offices to 3,069, being slightly less than the aggregate increase last year.

THE fires in the woods in the north of Michigan have been extinguished by the recent rains, but several millions of feet of logs are reported as being destroyed.

A THOROUGHLY reliable gentleman of Washington, who professes to be acquainted with all the details of the Colfax bond robbery of last winter asserts publicly that he had a complete description of all the securities, the number of the bonds and their amount, &c., taken from the late Vice President's trunk, and that they amounted to nearly one hundred thousand dollars. He further states that the securities had been recovered, and all but ten thousand dollars of them were returned to Colfax.

HENRY MAXWELL and John Mulney were injured on Saturday, probably fatally, by the explosion of the boiler at Duncan's salt works, Bay City.

AT Salem, Ind., a small station on the L. N. A. & C. Railroad, on Friday last, two men, named Heffron and Halsted, in the morning had a quarrell in the saloon of Heffron. In the evening, while Halsted was passing by the door of the saloon, Heffron drew a revolver and walked out and shot Halsted, firing four shots, one taking effect in the heart, instantly killing him. Heffron, not yet satisfied, took Halsted's body to a cellar, and lifting him up, beat his brains out with the butt end of his revolver.

JAMES PERRY, of New York, who plead guilty of perjury in the Jumel estate case, was sentenced to four years in the state prison, in Rhode Island, and a fine of ten dollars.

AN attempt was made Saturday last, by a band of desperadoes, to rob the store of Mr. Rhoddy, a' out twenty miles from Burlington, Missouri. Rhoddy resisted and shot and killed two of the gang, named Joseph Bacus and Thomas Jefferson, and clubbed another with his gun so badly that he cannot live.

DURING a storm at Springfield, Ohio, Monday night, the lightning struck the spire of the English Lutheran Church, and set it on fire. John Powell, foreman, attempted to ascend the interior of the spire with a hose, when a block of timber fell on his head, crushing his skull, killing him instantly.

NEAR Marysville, Cal., on Monday afternoon a stage was attacked by masked men, and Wells, Fargo & Co.'s treasure of $2,800 taken. The passengers were not molested.

THE grasshoppers are making terrible havoc in Cossuth, Osceola, O'Brien and Clay counties, Iowa.

LEWIS D. TAPPAN, one of the foremost workers in the anti-slavery movement in its early efforts in New York city, died on Saturday.

BY a collision of picnic railroad trains, near St. Louis, on Sunday, thirteen persons were injured, two seriously.

A FIRE in Pottsville, N. Y., Friday, destroyed nearly two blocks, and $200,000 worth of property. One child was killed, and another injured.

TURNER'S stables at Point Breeze Trotting Park, Philadelphia, were burned Monday morning. Of fourteen valuable trotters in the stables, Mattie Lyle and Nettie only were saved.

AN incendiary fire at Mt. Morris, Livingstone county, N. Y., on Sunday, burned all of the brick stores between the American House and Phelps House. Loss $80,000—partially insured.

MCCONNELL'S BROS. stables, and fifty horses belonging to different persons in Buffalo, were burned Monday morning.

A FIFTY-FIVE thousand dollar fire is reported from Reading, Pa.

THE Indian Bureau has received from the War Department an official letter from Lieut. Col. John D. Brook, commanding at Camp Supply, in which he states that the Cheyenne and Iowa Indians are off their reservations.

THE post offices at Charleston, Chelsea, East Cambridge, Cambridgeport, Cambridge, North Cambridge, Somerville, East Somerville, Harson Square and Neposes, Massachusetts, are all made sub-stations of the Boston post office.

ADVICES from the leaders of the McEnery party in Louisiana say that if there is to be a new election in that state they desire it to be exclusively under the control of the Federal Government, and assert that if Gov. Kellogg and his associates are allowed in any way to control or even intermeddle with it the friends of McEnery and the opponents of Kellogg will have nothing to do with the election.

COMMODORE ROGERS and W. P. Sanger, of the Navy Department, have returned from San Francisco, where they were inspecting the permanent dry-dock now being constructed at the city at a cost of $2,500,000. This dock, when completed, will be the largest in the possession of the Government. It is 500 feet long and 100 feet wide, and capable of docking any size of craft in our waters.

WASHINGTON'S headquarters at Morristown, N. J., were sold at auction on Wednesday, and purchased by ex-Governor Randolph, W. Y. Ledgerwood, Geo. Halsey, and General N. Halstead for $25,000. The intention of the purchasers is to hold it for the state until the Legislature meets, when, if so ordered, they will transfer it without profit.

THE extensive five-story brick pork-packing house of Fogen & McQueen, in St. Louis, was burned on Wednesday night, with 1,400 live hogs, and 400,000 pounds of hog product.

A FIRE at Middletown, N. Y., on Wednesday, destroyed Babcock, Fuller & Co.'s hat factory. Loss fifty thousand dollars.

THE safe of John Z. and Abraham Lott, attorneys of Brooklyn, was robbed on Saturday night of mortgage bonds valued at two hundred thousand dollars, belonging to various clients, but of no value to any one but the owners.

COUNTERFEIT tens on the Central National Bank of Rome, N. Y., were put in circulation at Williamsburg, N. Y., Saturday night. One man was arrested.

THE safe of Moore & Winner's dry goods store, at Greenfield, O., was entered by burglars on Sunday morning and robbed of about seven hundred dollars in currency and several thousand in notes.

AN eastern bound freight train ran off the track near Farley, Iowa, by a rail being out of place. The engine tipped over as it ran off, and six cars, two loaded with cattle, ran into and over the locomotive, killing engineer Tillotson. The fireman, Anderson, cannot be found. The cars were fearfully wrecked, and the track torn up some distance.

A SEVERE tornado is reported to have passed over London, Iowa, a station on the Chicago and Northwestern Railway, Wednesday evening, tearing down houses and barns, uprooting trees, and doing great damage generally.

THE Chicago Times prints reports from different points in each of the Northwestern states, showing the condition and prospects of the crops. The advices are of a very encouraging character, and indicate that the yield of most kinds of grain, and especially that of wheat, will be considerably above the average product.

YUNKER, KRAFT & Co.'s planing mill, Richard Martin's lumber yard, Clement & Tentford's joiner shop and P. Klempil's turning establishment, in Galena, were burned on Wednesday. Loss $20,000.

PITTSBURG, Pennsylvania, is making preparations for a grand exposition of the mechanic arts.

Abroad.

HIRAM POWERS, the American sculptor, died at Florence on Friday.

ADVICES from Jamaica report another fire at Port au Prince, by which a large portion of the commercial part of the place was destroyed.

A REVIEW of seven thousand troops was held by Queen Victoria at Windsor Park, Tuesday afternoon, in honor of the Shah of Persia. The weather was showery, but the crowds of spectators were enormous. After a series of brilliant manœuvres the troops formed in line and marched by the Queen and Shah. Among the distinguished persons who assisted in the review were the Prince and Princess of Wales, the Duke of Edinburg, Prince Leopold, the Duke of Cambridge, Princess Beatrice, the Czarowitch and his wife, and Princess Dahgmar.

A DISPATCH from Central Asia announces that the Tashkend column of the Khivan expedition, under command of Gen. Kaufman, has captured the strong fortress at Kesarach, on the left bank of the Anna Daira river, sixty miles from Khiva.

THE Cunard steamer Marathon was partially destroyed by fire at Glasgow on the 21st.

THE goods of Gustave Courbet are to be sold by the French Government to assist in defraying the expense of reconstructing the column Vendome.

A BANQUET was given the Shah at Greechwich, England, Wednesday evening. The Prince and Princess of Wales and 700 guests were present.

Two vessels laden with arms for the Carlists in Spain have been detained at Plymouth by the customs authorities.

The True Nobleman.

BY O. W. BUNGAY.

No airs, no rudeness, no pretence,
No lack of plain good common sense;
No boorish manners to annoy,
No vicious morals that destroy
True manliness and grace;
He wears upon his face
A gentle, honest air,
And no deceit is there.
His true address, and not his dress,
Commend him, and his manliness
Wins the good favor of the few
Who know him well, and know him true.

He leans not on the broken reeds
Of ancestral renown, and deeds
His father did long years ago.
Blue blood in royal veins may flow,
And be so cold and thin
That the proud heart within
Warms not in "weal or woe,"
So cold its pulse and slow.
By all men be it understood,
The noble man trusts not in blood;
He asks no privilege of birth—
He would be valued at his worth.

Knowing his rights, he "dare maintain"
His principle without a stain
Upon his lips; he bravely pleads
For others, and he intercedes
For the downtrodden poor,
For the heart-sick and sore;
He dries the tear he finds,
The broken heart he binds.
His word is good as any bond;
He loves this life, yet looks beyond:
Wealth cannot spoil him, for his trust
Is not in heaps of yellow dust.

His face and speech inspire the soul
To upward flights and self-control;
It gives the soul a sense of wings,
It lifts it from terrestrial things.
When he is host or guest,
A blessing seems to rest
On all who hear and see
Such true nobility.
The throb which his brave heart repeats
In kindred bosoms warmly beats;
A benediction lights his face,
His speech is gentleness and grace.

A DOG'S LESSON.

The potato famine in Ireland was no where felt more severely than in that part of the country where the following story is told as a true tale:

In a small village in one of the most barren districts of the west of Ireland, there lived a very poor widow, whose sole inheritance from her husband were two healthy children, girls, of the respective ages of three and five. Painfully, and by the utmost effort, she had contrived to pass two years of her sorrowful widowhood. Bad and scanty food, obtained only by labor too great for her delicate frame, had at last thrown her upon her sick bed, and death, in pity, removed her in a few days and without great suffering, from her earthly troubles. The poverty of the whole parish was so great that nothing could be done for the poor orphans. All the neighbors, with the utmost desire to help, were too famine-stricken, and heard their own children too often cry in vain for bread, to assist others.

"If the children could only be got to Kilburn," a village some miles distant said one of the neighbors, after the poor mother had been buried, "a brother of their father lives there, and he could not possibly refuse to take care of them."

"But matters are as bare there as here," replied another, "and I fear they will be no better off there."

"It cannot possibly be worse than here, for nothing but starvation stares them in the face. If we send them to their relations we have done our duty. We cannot possibly keep them here."

So a carrier, who was going near Kilburn, as an act of charity, took the two girls—Lizzie was seven now and Mary five—in his cart with him. The timid children kept very close together, and the carrier hardly looked at them. Towards noon they reached the spot where the cart would turn off. The man lifted them out, showed them the road to the left, and bade them go straight forward, and if they did not turn from the high road they would, in about two hours, come to the place. He then drove off. The children sobbed out "good-by," and looked after him as long as they could see the least speck of the cart, and then they both began to cry.

Lizzie ceased her crying first; she took hold of her little sister's hand, who had seated herself on the grass, and said: "Get up, Mary; we must not stay here if we wish to get to Kilburn. We cannot stop here on the road."

"I am so hungry," sobbed Mary; "we have had nothing to eat all day." And again they both began to cry, for Lizzie was equally hungry.

The children were weak, and could only drag themselves slowly along. Hand in hand they tottered on. At last Lizzie fancied she saw a house, and pointed towards the spot, but it took them more than a quarter of an hour before they reached the farm-house, for such it proved to be. With hesitating steps they entered the yard, for they had never begged before, in spite of their former misery. But at this moment they could think of nothing else but their terrible hunger. When a few steps from the house, they heard the farmer violently scolding one of his men. Then he went into the house, fiercely closed the door after him, so as to make the windows rattle, continuing his abuse all the time. The children, terrified, stood still at the door until the voice ceased. Then Lizzie opened the door, and both children entered. The farmer sat in an armchair by the fire.

"Well, what do you want?" he harshly asked the children, who were too frightened to utter a word and to tell their errand. "Can't you speak?" he asked, more roughly.

Lizzie at last took courage, and said, gently: "Oh, if you would be so good as to give us the least little bite to eat—a small piece of bread or a few potatoes."

"I thought so," shouted the farmer; "I was sure you were nothing but beggars, although you do not seem to belong to this neighborhood. We have not bread for ourselves in these hard times. You will get nothing here. Be off this moment!"

The children, both dreadfully frightened, began to cry bitterly.

"That will not do you any good," continued the man; "that kind of whining is nothing new to me, and won't move me. Let your parents feed you; but they, no doubt, prefer idling rather than getting their living by honest labor."

"Our parents are both dead," said Lizzie.

"I thought so," replied the farmer—"whenever children are sent out to beg, their father and mother are always dead, or at least their father. This is a mere excuse for begging. Be off this minute!"

"We have not eaten a morsel the whole day," pleaded Lizzie. "We are so tired that we cannot move a step. If you would but give us the least little bit to eat, we are so hungry."

"I have told you I would not. Beggars get nothing here."

The farmer got up with a threatening look. Lizzie quickly opened the door and drew her sister with her. The children again stood in the farm-yard, but knew not what to do. Suddenly little Mary drew her hand from her sister's clasp, and went to the three side of the yard; there was a fierce dog chained; his dinner stood before him in a wooden basin. Mary put her little hand into the basin, and began to eat with the dog. Lizzie went nearer, and saw that in the basin there was some liquor, in which a few pieces of bread and some boiled potatoes were floating. She, likewise, could not resist; she had but one feeling—that of the most gnawing hunger; she took some of the bread and potatoes, and ate them greedily.

The dog, not accustomed to such guests, looked at the children full of astonishment; he drew back, then sat down and left them his dinner. At this moment the farmer stepped into the yard; he wished to see whether the children had really left, and then he saw this singular scene. The dog was noted for his fierceness, and feared alike by old and young; he was obliged to be constantly chained. No one dared to come near him except his master. Even the servant put his food before him in the most cautious manner. In the first moment the man thought of nothing but the fearful danger in which the children were, and walking quickly toward them he exclaimed:

"Don't you see the dog? He will tear you to pieces!"

But suddenly he stopped as if rooted to the ground; the dog had got up again and gone near the children, then he looked at his master and wagged his tail. It seemed as if he wished to say:

"Don't drive my guests away!"

At that sight a great change came over the man, the spectacle before him acted like an electric shock, and feelings such as he had never before seemed to stir within him.

The children had risen, terrified at the call of the man, fearful of punishment for having eaten, with downcast eyes. At last, after several minutes' silence, the farmer asked:

"Are you really so hungry that you do not even despise the dog's food? Come in, then, you shall have some thing to eat, and as much as you like." And then, taking them by the hand, he led them into the house, calling out to the servant, "Biddy, get some hot bread and milk, and be quick, for these children."

The dog had shamed his master—the brute had shamed the man. Touched by what he had seen, the farmer was anxious to make amends for what his conscience showed him to be a great sin. He seated the children at the table, sat down by them, and kindly asked their names:

"My name is Lizzie," said the eldest, "and my sister is called Mary."

"Have your parents been dead long?"

"Our father has been dead two years, but our mother only died last week.

At the thought of their recent loss, both children began to weep.

"Don't cry, children," said the farmer, kindly. "God will, in one way or another, take care of you. But tell me now, where do you come from?"

"From Loughrea," replied the child.

"From Loughrea?" asked the man, "from Loughrea? That is strange!"

He began to suspect the truth, and asked, hesitatingly:

"What was your father's name?"

"Martin Sullivan," replied Lizzie.

"What—Martin—Martin Sullivan?" he exclaimed, jumping up at the same time, and casting a piercing look at the children, thoroughly frightening them.

His face grew red—then tears came into his eyes—at last he sobbed aloud. He took the youngest child in his arms, pressed her to his heart and kissed her. The child struggled and called to her sister for help; she could not think what the man meant. Then he put down the little one, and did the same to Lizzie, who took it more quietly, as she had seen that the man did not hurt her sister. At last becoming more composed, he dried his tears, and said:

"Do you know my name, children?"

"No," replied Lizzie.

"How happened it, then, that you have come to me?" he asked. "Has any one sent you to me?"

"Nobody has sent us," replied Lizzie. "We were to go to Kilburn, where a brother of our father lives, and they said he would gladly receive us. But I did not believe it, for our mother always said he was a hard-hearted man, who does not care for his relations."

"Your mother was quite right when she said so," said the farmer; but what will you do if this hard-hearted man does not receive you?"

"Then we shall have to starve," answered Lizzie.

"No, no!" exclaimed the man quickly; "it shall never come to that—never. Dry your tears. The merciful God has had pity on your helplessness, and has made use of a fierce brute to soften the heart of your uncle, and, therefore, he will never forsake you never."

The children looked at the man in utter bewilderment; they did not understand what he said—his words and his behavior were alike strange to them. This he soon perceived, for he added, "You are going to Kilburn, Patrick Sullivan; you are already there! I am your uncle, and, now that I know you are the children of my brother Martin, I make you welcome."

The children's tears quickly changed into smiles, and the meal which Biddy just then put on the table for them made them forget their grief. Patrick Sullivan had taken this farm about a year before. A kind Providence had directed the children's steps to him; but if the dog had not taught him a lesson of kindness who knows what might have become of the poor orphans? But He, who is the Father of the fatherless, would surely not have forsaken them.

Microscopic Worms.

Some time ago, Assistant Surgeon Lewis, of the British Army, having been assigned to special duty under the Sanitary Commission for the Government of India, in examining the urine and blood of certain patients, discovered the presence of living, active worms, hitherto unobserved. These worms are 1-75 of an inch in length, and they have a transverse diameter of 1 3509 of an inch. They are so numerous as to be found in blood drawn from any part of the body, and so persistent that they may exist in the system for months or years without any marked evil consequences being observed. It is said, however, that they may give rise to serious diseases, and ultimately cause death. These worms appear, through the microscope, like incompletely developed snakes; they move incessantly, coiling and uncoiling themselves, and rush about among the blood corpuscles in all directions. They do not appear to exist anywhere but in the blood and urine.

"PRETTY bad under foot," said one citizen to another, as they met in the street. "Yes, but it's fine overhead," responded the other. "True enough," said the first, "but then very few are going that way."

THE SHAH OF PERSIA.

A Troublesome Guest—Ill-Timed Visits—Costly Jewels.

Dr. Russell writes from Vienna to the London Times as follows of the Shah of Persia:

"The jewels of the Shah have quite surpassed the reports of their size and value which preceded their owner's arrival. The treasury of Persia, we all know, was rich to an incredible richness with the accumulated wealth of the sort; but no one was prepared to see *mortalibus oculis* a diamond nearly twice the size of the Koh-i-noor, or 'Mountain of Light' (now in the possession of the Queen of England, once Runjeet Sing, the Lion of Lahore's greatest glory), stuck in front of a man's sword-belt, and five diamonds, each larger than that jewel of jewels, *en echelon*, up his coat from waist to shoulder. These stones are scarcely cut, and do not show as they ought, but they are of surpassing purity. The Shah's sword-belt is a treasure-house in itself. The sheath is studded with rubies, emeralds and diamonds, which shame their setting of purest gold. The front of his coat is garnished with rows of brilliants instead of lace. The collar and sleeves are crusted with them, his orders are of the most precious jewels. His spurs flash like sunbeams. All this on the person of a man who has nothing noble in mien or face, although he is above the average height of the Indian Mussulman noblesse.

PERSIAN ETIQUETTE.

But in spite of his jewels and external splendor, the Shah-in Shah is, according to European notions, a savage in many respects—proud, willful, sensual and arbitrary. If punctuality be the "politeness of princes," as it is said to be, the Shah would, in consequence of his utter indifference to engagements, be one of the most ill-mannered men in the world. He kept the parade at Potsdam, ordered by the Kaiser, waiting a couple of hours. He kept the Queen for half an hour at the railway station waiting for him. He would not go to breakfast when it was announced, at the time of invitation, but walked about in the garden, and then, seeing an arbor which pleased him, desired to have his breakfast brought there.

When he sat at dinner, yesterday, he put his fingers in his plate and ate with them, and if he came on a piece of some dish which he did not like, he took it out of his mouth and threw it down—not on the ground, but on the Queen's (Empress') dress. If free from the more horrid vices attributed to Persians by travelers, he is quite without shame or scruple in his disregard of what is called morality by Christians and good Mussulmans. I came home from Potsdam in the same carriage with some of his suite—very fine gentleman as far as their lace and clothing went—but with all the frivolity and arrogance of ignorance and uneducated men. Their talk was of their own prowress and of clothes; how they could ride better than any people in the world, because they could back a horse from the desert and ride him, whereas Europeans rode only horses which were already broken in—a Prussian officer dryly remarked: "The difference is that we direct the course of our horses, and that your horses follow their own." They all spoke French, and the Shah-in-Shah knows it much better than he would be thought to do from his mode of speaking it, as when he is quite at his ease he can talk it pretty fluently. But he is not much at his ease with European barbarians, and it is ludicrous to see him standing alone in a crowd with a clear space round him and no one to talk to, for he balances, first on one leg and then on another, "like a hen on a hot griddle," and does not know what to do with them or his hands. When he turns his back and the spectator calmly surveys his exterior, freed from the distracting influences of his diamonds, the Shah does not present an imposing appearance. I admit that the backs of most people fail to impress me, but His Majesty's tailor has rendered his "reverse" quite abnormally ridiculous by making his frock coat with a multitude of fine plaits, like those of a Highlander's kilt or of a lady of Queen Bess's time, over the hips, and so all round. His face is seldom animated, and there is something incongruous in the position of his spectacles, a la Thiers, on his aquiline nose, under a Persian cap, and, over all these, diamonds.

LIKES AND DISLIKES.

When the successor of Cyrust first came to Berlin it was supposed it would prove easy to provide amusement for him during his stay, but it soon became apparent that there was great management to be observed. He hates a programme of any kind because it looks like dictation. He cannot bear to see a written or printed paper, for it looks as if his freedom of action was enrolled. When he was in Russia he thought he was ill-treated by the immense parades which were ordered for his honor. They seemed intended to humiliate him, and so one morning he refused to attend an inspection especially ordered for him, and kept the Czar waiting until it was announced he would not come at all. He detests chamberlains, has no notion of engagements and obligations of rendezvous and the like, but he is learning to return the salutations of people in the street, instead of answering them by a stare through his spectacles.

Gum Gathering in Africa.

In Morocco, about the middle of November, that is, after the rainy season, a gummy juice exudes spontaneously from the trunks and branches of the acacia. It gradually thickens in the furrows down which it runs and assumes the form of oval and round drops about the size of a pigeon's egg, of different colors, as it comes from the red or white gum tree. About the middle of December the Moors encamp on the borders of the forest, and the harvest lasts a full month. The gum is packed in large leather sacks, and transported on the backs of camels and bullocks to seaports for shipment. The harvest occasion is made one of great rejoicing, and the people for the time being almost live on the gum, which is nutritious and fattening. Such is the commercial story of this simple but very usful article.

A Cape Diamond Worth £25,000.

Messrs. A. C. Stewart & Co., Cape merchants, Liverpool, have just had consigned to them for sale an immense diamond from the Cape fields, weighing, uncut, 288½ carats. It measures 1½ inches in one direction, and 1¼ inches in another and is 1½ inches in thickness, and, like all Cape diamonds, it is of a decidedly yellow color. If the gem had been of the first water its value might have been beyond calculation. Such as it is, it is estimated as being worth £25,000.

HEREAFTER Connecticut milkmen will ell by wine measure.

THROUGH THE ROCKY MOUNTAINS.

Greatest "Bore" of the Age—The Monster Projected Tunnel.

From the Denver (Col.) Tribune, June 14.

For some time past the territorial papers have contained brief references to a proposed tunnel, which was to be carried through the Rocky Mountains from a point near Black Hawk, and coming out in Middle Park. These items were religiously copied by the Eastern press, but the story sounded Munchausenish, and people in general were loth to believe in the mammoth enterprise.

Now, however, it is known that the project has been fully inaugurated, and that its projector is on the ground with ample means and labor to prosecute the work to completion.

From the Black Hawk Journal of June 13 we obtain the following particulars regarding the proposed work:

The tunnel will be about twelve miles long. Its greatest depth will be 6,000 feet at James' peak. It will make Middle Park readily accessible from the eastern portion of the Territory, will show what is the mineral and geological character of this section, and will tolerably extensively advertise the country as the scene of an enterprise twice as large and a hundred times as important as the Mount Cenis tunnel. Col. Heaton will use the diamond-pointed drills, and thus not be obliged to keep in operation numerous blacksmith shops. They will be driven by machinery. And it is expected that the tunnel will progress at the rate of five feet per hour, or sixty feet per day. Early next year work will commence from Middle Park.

Already considerable work has been done. The mountain has been graded down for the face of the tunnel; a flume 1,399 feet long has been built from the creek, by which a fall of twenty-five feet is obtained for the purpose of turning an over-shot wheel, by means of which the tunnel is to be supplied with air; a strong levee has been built to prevent the water of the creek from overflowing and embarrassing operations in the tunnel; a large boarding house, 60x25 feet and two stories high, has been built; a substantial bridge has also been built over the creek, on the road leading to the Lake Gulch country.

The objects of the tunnel are, to afford a means of working the discovered mines rapidly and cheaply, to discover and open new veins, and to afford a track for a railway. It will strike the Bobtail, first of known mines, and 400 feet below the present tunnel.

The effects of the success of this enterprise can hardly be estimated. It may cause to pass through our section and under our mountains all, or nearly all, the trans-continental travel.

The company, by name the Sierra Madre Tunnel Company, of Colorado, have ample capital, and will push the project rapidly to completion. Though the enterprise is of such magnitude as to dazzle the imagination and stagger and bewilder the judgment, yet if the mining resources of the country are what we all believe them to be, it is not chimerical, and is sure to be a source of profit to the company and of incalculable benefit to the Territory."

Improvements in Thermometers.

It would be a task of no small magnitude to describe the heat measures devised since Hero, the Egyptian, discovered that a volume of confined air would expand and contract with variations of temperature, and by the movement of mechanical appliances be made to indicate the same. The air thermometer. so called, brought out by Sanctorio nearly three centuries ago, was followed, later, by that in which colored alcohol was used as the fluid, and after this came the mercurial thermometer now in common use and sufficient for ordinary purposes, but not for the more delicate operations of scientific.

For these latter the most delicate and beautiful instrument is the thermo-electric pile, which being warmed at one end, be it ever so slightly, establishes an electric current through the pile which, by deflecting a galvanometer needle, accurately indicates the intensity of the heat which constitutes the exciting cause. For finding the temperature at great depths in the ocean, the greater ease with which an electric current passes through a wire of given normal resistance, as the temperature diminishes, has formed the basis of a very efficient deep sea thermometer. Dr. Joule, a few years ago contrived a unique thermometer comprising two copper tubes, one within the other, and the inner one having axially within it a silk thread suspending a spiral wire to which a small mirror was attached. At its lower end the instrument was furnished with a hinged plate, to close or open as desired. When closed the mirror was stationary, but when opened, a current of air was established which twisted the silk and rotated the mirror one time for each degree of Fahrenheit. The theory assigned for this novel operation was that the outer tube absorbed the heat, and, radiating it inward, produced a draught through the internal space, this air current acting on the spiral wire with a power proportioned to the radiation which produced it. The instrument affords a fine illustration of the manner in which very simple things may be put to abstruse uses, for the spiral wire of the thermometer just described revolves on precisely the same principle as the pasteboard "whirligigs" that children delight to see whirling in the upwardly moving currents of air by a warm stovepipe.

A Dead Beat's Device.

One of the most chronically impecunious gentlemen, who unite with their impecuniosity the conviction that the world owes them a living, went into one of the hotels the other day, and requested to be trusted for a drink. The bar keeper knew his man, and entered a respectful negative, whereupon the thirsty soul turned around to those in the room, and said sadly, "Isn't their anybody here who will loan me fifteen cents?" There was a silence for a moment, and then the amount of scrip was handed to the begger, who, turning with it in his hands to the bar keeper, said, "Now, will you let me have a drink?" "Certainly," said that official, and handed out a glass with a bottle of whisky. Mr. Beat poured full to the brim, drank, smacked his lips and turned away from the bar. The bar keeper delicately reminded him that a quid of currency was due for the quo of liquid. Mr. Beat smiled as he returned the fifteen cents to the stranger from whom he borrowed it, with the remark to him behind the bar, "This debt is the oldest; yours will have to wait a little."

WAS IT FAIR AND ABOVE BOARD?—A the opening match of the Boreas Yacht Club some of the craft were observed "standing in." Owners of race horses, too, occasionally elect to row in the same boat—to "stand in"—to the mystification of the public; but then hard words are used.

So Near, and Yet So Far.

BY E. C. STEDMAN.

Thou art mine; thou hast given thy word;
Close, close in my arms thou art clinging;
Alone for my ear thou art singing
A song which no stranger hath heard;
But afar from me yet, like a bird,
Thy soul in some region unstirred,
On its mystical circuit is winging.

Thou art mine, I have made thee mine own;
Henceforth we are mingled forever;
But in vain, all in vain, I endeavor—
Though round thee my garlands are thrown,
And thou yieldest thy lips and thy zone,—
To master the spell that alone
My hold on thy being can sever.

Thou art mine, thou hast come unto me;
But thy soul, when I strive to be near it—
The innocent fold of thy spirit—
Is as far from my grasp, is as free,
As the stars from the mountain tops be,
As the pearl in the depths of the sea
From the portionless king that would wear it.

General Items.

WHAT requires more philosophy than taking things as they come? Parting with them as the go.

THE Rev. Dr. Rutledge, of Illinois, has lost not only his watch but his pulpit by betting at "three-card monte."

MRS. PARTINGTON says that there is no blessin' like health, particularly when you're ill.

FARMERS in Connecticut Valley are making more extensive arrangements than ever for raising tobacco.

MASSACHUSETTS has nineteen cities now, the last Legislature having granted three new charters.

GEN. JOHN S. (Cerro Gordo) Williams is a Democratic candidate for the Legislature of Kentucky.

YOU can use a postage stamp twice. The first time it will cost you three cents, the second time fifty dollars.

THE Garter vacant by the death of Lord Zetland has been conferred on the Earl of Leicester.

AN irate man who was disappointed in his boots, threatened to eat up the shoemaker, but compromised by drinking a cobbler.

THE married ladies of a Western city have formed a "Come-home Husband Club." It is about four feet long, and has a brush at the end of it.

JOSH BILLINGS says: "Fuss works hard all day and don't do enny thing; goes to bed at night, then gits up next morning and begins where she left oph."

IT is a Louisville woman this time—who bought a feather bed and found a shot bag inside of it, with $470 in bank notes.

THE people of Martin county, Indiana, are agitated over the elopment of a Catholic priest with the young daughter of a prominent citizen.

THE masters of all the subordinate granges in Tennessee are to meet at Humboldt on the 2d of July to organize a State Grange.

EARLY marriages are approved of in Lafayette, Ind. One has just been celebrated there at six o'clock in the morning.

WATERMELONS are selling in Key West at twenty cents each, and with the gaunt spectre of cholera hovering over the place all the time.

THE Boston Transcript advices that the captured Modocs be sent to Vienna, and suggests that they would fill a good deal of empty space.

A WIDOW in Maine has lately worked out her tax on the highway, and the surveyor said she did her work better than any man in the town.

A KENTUCKY man has named his sixteenth child, recently born to him, Omega, hoping the fates will let her be the last.

IT is prophecied that lobsters are doomed to extermination and that the present generation is the last that shall taste their delicate flesh.

THE necessary legislation having already been had, Texas will elect on the on the first Tuesday in December next a full State ticket, both Houses of its Legislature, and many minor officers.

THE latest instance afforded by a "fond mother" of her son's cleverness is said son's correcting her for saying he was all over dirt. He said the dirt was all over him.

A BOSTON paper asserts that more men have been arrested for drunkenness in that city since the new Prohibitory law went into effect than ever before in the same length of time.

THE sprightly Boston Transcript asks: "If a Miss is as good as a mile, how good is a Mrs?" If she is a widow, she will be good for a league under almost any circumstances.

ONE of the Ohio "Liberals" who have been sued for the value of fire-works furnished in the last Presidential campaign, intimates that the fire-works were spoiled by the tidal-wave.

A YOUNG man who prided himself on his mental qualifications, once speaking of the advantages of these, remarked: "What is better than a good education?" "Common sense, you fool, you," quickly responded one of his hearers.

NO ART treasures of any value have yet been found by dredging the Tiber. Like the whole ground on which modern Rome stands, the bed of the river is at a great elevation over its ancient level.

AT a recent woman's meeting in a San Francisco public hall, the lady in the chair requested the audience not to make quite so much noise in their applause, "as it would scare the horses in the stable below.

A NEWFOUNDLAND dog, in Portland, Me., which was pestered by a small dog, endured the infliction for a while, and then took the cur in his teeth and held him under water in Rock Cove until he was drowned.

THERE is an old gentleman in New York, a descendant of the old Knickerbockers, who, though ninety years old has not been to bed sober in sixty-five years. He lately applied for the position of inspector of liquors, but his nose, one of the Hovey's seedling strawberry kind, betrayed him.

A YOUNG man in Peoria sought to win his sweetheart by strategy, so he took her out for a boat ride and then threatened to jump overboard into the lake if she did not consent to marry him. But it did not work at all. She offered to bet him a dollar that he dare not dive in.

WHILE a blast was in operation at the cutting on the New York, Boston and Montreal Railway, back of Tarrytown, on Wednesday afternoon, a mass of rock fell back and broke through the roof of a shed in which a large quantity of nitro glycerine was stored, producing a most terrific explosion. In Tarrytown many of the houses were shaken as by an earthquake.

AN aerolite, weighing sixty pounds, fell and hit a negro on the head in Lafayette, Ind., the other day. When the stone was picked up, (the negro was not knocked down nor injured, save that his wool was slightly scorched) it was partially fused on one side, probably by the heat generated by its sudden contact with the colored man's skull.

In the Woods.

Oh, the balmy woodland
In the month of June!
Never did the birds sing
Sweetber in tune!
Rich the roving blossoms
Hang from branch and spray—
'Tis an ever new delight
The live-long day.

Sweet surprises meet us
Everywhere we turn;
Hyacinthes, like blue eyes,
Peeping thro' the fern.
Half we grudge to gather
Beauties that we prize;
But we seek for offerings
To gladden weary eyes.

FARM, GARDEN AND HOUSEHOLD.

To Pickle Eggs.

Messrs. De la Vergne & Hare, one of the largest egg dealing firms in New York, gives to the Times of that city, the following recipe for pickling eggs, which they use with good success:

To make a good pickle, get one bushel of clean lump lime, free from dirt and all foreign matter, four quarts of fine salt, and sixteen ten-quart pails of pure water hard or soft, and as free from vegetable matter as possible. Slack the lime with two or three pails of water, and dissolve the salt in a pail of it; then add the salt and the balance of the water. Stir the preparation well; let it stand a short time, and stir it again three or four times. Finally, let it settle and dip the clear pickle into the cistern or cask you are to preserve in, filling it about half full. After this has been done, dip the eggs into the pickle with a dipper or basket made for the purpose. When the cistern or cask is nearly full of eggs, and they are well covered with pickle, spread a cotton cloth over them, and spread on that a layer of two or three inches of the thick lime that is left after the clear pickle has been dipped off. Be sure that the eggs are well covered with pickle while they remain in it, and the lower the temperature of the pickle is kept, the better the eggs will come out. The best arrangement for preserving eggs is to build a vat or cistern below the cellar bottom, being careful to get it well made, tight, and from six to seven feet long, five feet wide, and four or five feet deep. Eggs pickled according to this recipe given have been known to keep well for two years.

Prepare Manure.

There is probably no country on the face of the earth where so great a proportion of the elements of fertility in the manure are destroyed by careless handling as in the West. The inherent richness of the virgin soil, the ease with which it may be cultivated, the scarcity and the high price of farm labor, the large areas cultivated by individual farmers, and the comparatively low price of the principal crops on the farm, have all tended to this. Nevertheless, we have constantly reiterated that it will pay to save manure in the West, and the time is not far distant when manure will become an absolute necessity. The following by a correspondent of the American Farmer, of Baltimore, Md., although written from an Eastern standpoint, where manure is absolutely the life of the soil, will nevertheless command itself to every thinking farmer of the West:

If the farmer wishes to make a good crop of hay, he must manure his land thoroughly. Two or three tons of timothy hay per acre is a good crop. If the farmer wishes to have a good crop of corn, he must manure his land well. Good land, well cultivated, in good seasons, ought to make from forty to one hundred and thirty bushels of corn to the acre. If the farmer wishes to make twenty, thirty, forty bushels of wheat to the acre, he must have his land in good condition. Large crops of wheat are not grown on poor, badly cultivated land. If the farmer wishes to make large crops of potatoes, sweet or Irish, or fine cabbage or turnips, he must make his land rich.

The first, most pressing, most indispensible want of the farmer is manure. If the farmer can make or buy plenty of manure, he can have fine crops of wheat, corn, potatoes, etc. Farming without manure is a discouraging, profitless avocation.

To make manure, then, is the leading idea of a farmer's life. All farm stock, horses, beef cattle, hogs, sheep, should be stabled or enclosed (certainly at night) in yards well littered with straw or weeds. Every animal, all poultry, should contribute its quota to the manure bank. All weeds, loose litter, should be placed on the manure bank.

Wet straw, wet cornstalks, etc., are not manure. Manure is a compost—is vegetable matter animalized by well-fed animals. The barn ought to be on a sloping hillside, so that the stalls for cattle and horses might be in the foundation—the hay, grain, etc., be secured above. In this way grain and hay may be secured in the barn and made into manure in the barn-yard. Every horse and cow ought to manufacture manure. Hen manure is probably the richest of all manure, containing 8.4 per cent. of ammonia.

If one farmer was to make five or six four horse loads of manure in one year for every horse, cow, and hog on his farm, his farm would improve rapidly. This he may do by using straw litter, etc., freely in stables.

But in addition to the manure from the barn-yard and hog pen, and poultry-house, the farmer should sow clover freely, let it attain its full growth and I see that one crop at least is left on the soil. The good farmer improves his land from clover; the poor and thoughtless farmer may sow clover and impoverish his soil by injudicious grazing. Some farmers use lime, others buy ground bones, the various alkalies, etc. All are good, if properly made and properly used. But if the farmer wants good crops, his land must be manured—rich.

The barn-yard should be littered, the stalls cleaned out regularly and the contents distributed evenly over the yard. Plaster should be scattered over the yard every week or two. All stock should be induced to remain in the yard when not stabled. A little hay or fodder will make them fond of the yard. The yard ought to be securely enclosed, and a cistern at the end of the barn, of suitable size, will furnish a large quantity of water for stock.

Sheep Ticks.

Now is the time to exterminate ticks from sheep and lambs. An English veterinary surgeon has discovered that carbolicis death to ticks and good for lambs. He says:

Dipping the lambs in a diluted mixture of carbolic acid was found effectual in destroying the parasites. The remedy suggested is absolutely harmless to the skin of the sheep; indeed, it is beneficial as a detergent, while it is certainly destructive to ticks. Used either as a dip or wash to be poured over the infested animal's skin, the carbolic acid mixture will be perfectly effectual. No shepherd who has the welfare of his flock at heart will neglect such a simple plan of treatment when he finds ticks very numerous in his sheep and lambs.

Irregular Hatching.

A correspondent of the Poultry Chronicle having been unsuccessful with his eggs, the chickens hatching irregularly and dying soon after breaking the shell, the editor says in answer to his complaint:

"We fancy the neglect lies with your neglect of a very common rule, that of damping your eggs. We are great sticklers for nature. A hen pheasant, partridge or grouse, or a common hen that steals her nest, leaves the eggs at break of day prompted by nature and goes to the grass in search of food. It is at that time wet as a river. She returns to her nest reeking, and sits on her eggs. Hence the uniform success. Following our great examplar, we always for seven or eight days before hatching damp our eggs with water. Failing that, the membrane that lines the inside of the shell becomes too tough for the chicken to penetrate, and they either die in the shell or come out one or two at a time, as they succeed in breaking from their prison house.

Ash-Colored Breed of Turkeys.

In the recent report of the Paris "Societe d' Acclimatation," it is stated that M. Senequier of Toulon has cultivated a race of ash-colored turkeys, a little less in size than the average, but remarkable for their extraordinary fecundity. The female lays throughout the entire year, with a slight interval of repose. She covers her eggs with great assiduity, and is particularly recommended by M. Senequier for hatching out the eggs of exotic birds. He received the parents of the stock of one of his friends, who was ignorant whence they were originally derived. It may have been developed in that locality under the influence of long-continued topographical conditions. Specimens of these were to be brought forward at the exhibitions of the Society in 1873.

To Prevent Sows Devouring Young.

A Scotch farmer writes: "I noticed some time ago a method of preventing sows from devouring their young, which they will do at times, and sometimes they won't let down their milk. When this state of affairs is not caused by a diseased condition of the uterus, it is said that the sow can be brought to terms by pouring a mixture of from ten to twenty grains of spirits of camphor with from one to three of tincture of opium, into the ear. The sow will immediately lie down on the side of the ear to which the application was made, and remain quiet for several hours in this position, without interfering with her pigs; and on recovery from her stupor, will have lost her irritability in regard to them. Another method is to rub the pigs all over with brandy, and make the same application about the nose of the sow herself.

Valuable Recipes.

To Destroy Cockroaches and Bee tles.—1. Strew the roots of black hellebore, at night, in the places infested by these vermin, and they will be found in the morning dead, or dying. Black hellebore grows in marshy ground, and may be had at herb shops. 2. Put about a quart of water sweetened with molasses in a tin wash basin or smooth glazed china bowls. Set it at evening in a place frequented by the bugs. Around the basin put an old piece of carpet that the bugs can have easy access to the top. They will go down in the water, and stay till you come. 3. Take pulverized borax 4 parts, flour 1 part, mix intimately and distribute the mixture in the cupboards which are frequented by the cockroaches, or blow it by means of a bellows, into the holes and cracks infested by them. 4. By scattering a handful of fresh cucumber parings about the house. 5. Take carbonic acid and powdered camphor in equal parts; put them in a bottle; they will become fluid. With a painter's brush of the size called a sash-tool, put the mixture on the cracks where the cockroaches hide; they will come out at once. Then kill. 6. Mix up a quantity of fresh burned plaster of paris, (such as is used for making ornaments,) with wheat flour and a little sugar, and spread it on plates and box boards, and place in parts they frequent. In the darkness they will feast on it. After three or four nights renewal of the preparation, no cockroaches will be found.

To Preserve Clothing and Furs from Moths: 1. Procure shavings of cedar-wood, and enclose in muslin bags, which should be distributed freely among them. 5. Procure shavings of camphor-wood, and enclose in bags. 3. Sprinkle pimento (allspice) berries among the clothes. 4. Sprinkle the clothes with the seeds of the musk plant. 5. An ounce of gum camphor and one of the powdered shell of red pepper are macerated in 8 ounces of strong alcohol for several days, then strained. With this tincture the furs or clothes are sprinkled over and rolled up in sheets. 6. Carefully shake and brush woolens early in the spring, so as to be certain that no eggs are in them; then sew them up in cotton or woolen wrappers, putting a piece of gum camphor, tied up in a bit of muslin into each bundle, or into the chests or places they are to lie. No moth will approach while the smell of camphor continues. When the gum is evaporated, it must be renewed. Enclose them in moth-proof box with camphor, no matter whether made of white paper or pine box, before any eggs are laid on them by early spring moths. The notion of having a trunk made of some particular kind of wood for this purpose is nonsense. Furs or woolens put away in the spring before moth eggs are laid, into boxes, drawers, trunks or even closets, where moths cannot enter, will be safe from the ravages of mothworms, provided none were in them that were laid late in the autumn, for they are not of spontaneous production.

A Physician who Healed Himself.—If a railroad director were lashed to every locomotive, there would be fewer railroad accidents, and if doctors had to take their own physic before administering it to their patients, fewer people would be poisoned. Dr. Joseph Walker, of California, took this course when he first compounded the famous Vinegar Bitters which now rank as an inestimable household remedy in all parts of the United States. He healed himself with this specific before he offered it to the world. He introduced it with a simple statement of the manner in which he had discovered its vegetable ingredients and been cured, while wandering, sick and poor, among the California tribes. He stated what the preparation had done for himself, and a few sufferers from dyspepsia, biliousness, rheumatism, lung diseases, and many other prevalent disorders, believed him, tried the new restorative and were more than satisfied with the results. In this way the sale of the Vinegar Bitters began, and we mention the fact as an evidence that in this age of intelligence and inquiry, nothing that is really valuable to mankind can prove a pecuniary failure—even though it may lack the help of capital, and have to fight its way against powerful opposing interests. Within two or three months after its introduction, the article became self-supporting, and it now yields a magnificent annual revenue.—Com.

Scene in School—Boy to lady teacher—"Teacher, there's a girl over there a winkin' at me!" Teacher—"Well, then, don't look at her!" Boy—"But if I don't look at her she'll wink at somebody else!"

Mrs. James Ice was killed by lightning in Kentucky last week.

ROMANTIC TRAGEDY.

Two St. Johnsville Lovers Bury their Woes in the Grave—Suicide of a Married Man and a Young Girl.

From the Albany Evening Journal, June 18.

Considerable excitement prevailed at St. Johnsville, Montgomery county, yesterday, in consequence of a remarkable tragical affair there, two prominent citizens having committed suicide under very peculiar circumstances. The facts in the case, we are informed, are about as follows:

Dr. A. D. Wheelock, a resident physician of St. Johnsville, has for some time past been paying attention to a Miss Ruth Smith, a young lady of highly respectable family. The young lady's friends objected to her keeping company with Dr. Wheelock, on the ground that he had a wife living from whom he had not been divorced. On the morning of the 15th inst. Miss Smith went to Little Falls, where Wheelock was the meet her, and it is supposed that it was their intention to be married. Miss Smith went by train, while the doctor proceeded there with his own carriage. It is supposed that after arriving at Little Falls the Doctor changed his mind, for no marriage ensued, and instead he commenced proceedings for a divorce from his wife. The young lady returned to her home in St. Johnsville at 1:45 p. m. At 2 p. m. it was discovered that she had taken poison, and an hour later she was dead.

Dr. Wheelock returned some time during the afternoon, and after receiving information of the death of Miss Smith disappeared. Yesterday morning he was discovered in a room in the Empire Hotel, at St. Johnsville, lying on the floor in an unconscious condition. It was then ascertained that he had passed the night there with a friend, and about nine o'clock in the morning asked the friend to go out and learn how the inquest in the case of Miss Smith was progressing. He also asked the friend to return within an hour. The friend complied with his request, and on returning to his room found Wheelock in an unconscious condition, as stated, from an overdose of morphine. The Doctor soon afterwards expired.

The Coroner's inquest resulted in a verdict that Miss Smith came to her death by arsenic, and Wheelock by an overdose of morphine. Some were of an impression that the latter was not intentional, but the circumstances would seem to indicate otherwise. Whether the young lady was induced to commit the rash act through the bitterness of disappointment, or in consequence of a quarrel, is not known.

The Dublin Riot.

Irish papers contain particulars of the terrible riot at the fire in Dublin on the night of the 7th of June. About 11 o'clock that night a fire broke out in Kelly's timber yard and stores on Thomas street, one of the most densely populated parts of the city. Within an hour after the fire commenced from twenty to thirty thousand persons had assembled in the neighborhood, whose object seemed to be the plunder of houses. Soon after the arrival of the fire engines the principal water pipe burst. The mob tore the hose from the hydrant, which they smashed. Capt. Ingraham then had the street torn up and a steam fire engine put on, which worked in the waste water from the main. The fire spread to the alleys and causeways behind the street. The police were powerless to maintain order. The mob tore open the roof of the house of Mahoney, a wine merchant, pillaged his store, and carried cases of champagne to the roof, where they drank so much that some of them rolled off. Policemen were stoned and some of them completely disabled. Several priests, who tried to check the disorder, were beaten by the mob and the windows of their chapel smashed.

Four companies of infantry and a troop of dragoons were called out, at length restored order. A fireman and several soldiers were seriously wounded.

The mob threw bricks and stones from houses upon the soldiers and fought them with bludgeons. Forty of the rioters were arrested, mostly badly wounded.

Spice.

The following are from the Boston Commercial Bulletin:

A well-dressed dog wears a collar and and pants in the summer.

The locomotive of a Western express train collided with a hand-car, and smashed the head-light. The conductor was equal to the occasion. He just stuck his diamond breastpin in the cow-catcher, and the train moved right along.

The claimants of "Betsey and I are Out," like lobsters, had to get into hot water in order to be read.

Best tent for the summer—con-tent.

Negative results—Photographs.

The gentleman who was telling a friend, on Tuesday, that "Bunkle of Batter Hill was seventeenth of June," is supposed to have found an open bar somewhere.

A student of the Darwinian theory, as traced from the fish kingdom, thinks it a settled fact that Haydn was descended from the menhaden.

Travelers always complain of being *fleeced* more in Italy than in any other country.

It is about time for hot weather, mosquitoes, and the hotel clerk. All summer hotels which have not provided themselves with a "gentlemanly clerk" should do so at once, and set him up in the office, behind a large diamond pin, as soon as possible. A first-class article of this kind, well laundered, booted, and broadclothed with hair parted in the middle, has a powerful effect upon the public.

A Photographer's Ruse.

A Berlin photographer is reported to have made an ingenious trick to attract customers. The artist pretended he could make photographs of gentlemen so life-like that their dogs would be able to recognize them. When these were held up before the dogs of the owners, the dogs would wag their tails and lick the pictures. The other photographers of Berlin, who were unable to perform anything similar, watched their colleague, and, finally discovered his secret. It was a very simple proceeding. All he did was to cover the photographs with a thin layer of lard, which the dogs of course smelled, and then licked off.

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If *Johnson's Anodyne Liniment* is half as valuable as people say it is, no family should be without it. Certainly no person, be he lawyer, doctor, minister, or of any other profession, should start on a journey without it. No sailor, fisherman, or woodsman should be without it. In fact, it is needed wherever there is an ache, sprain, cut, bruise, cough or cold.

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Wheat—No. 3 Fall		@ 1 28
Corn		@ 35
Oats		@ 38¾
Rye		@ 56
Barley		@ 65
Pork—Mess		@15 75
Lard	8	@ 8¼

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Cattle—Choice to extra prime	$ 5 00	@ 5 75
Medium to choice	4 70	@ 5 00
Common to fair	3 00	@ 3 50
Hogs—Live	4 00	@ 4 25
Sheep—Live, good to choice	3 00	@ 4 50
Butter—Choice	16	@ 18
Eggs—Fresh	12	@ 13
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By virtue of an execution, issued out of and under the seal of the Dist. Court of Carver Co. Minn. on the 27th day of April 1873, upon a judgment, in an action wherein Phineas Lamen Acker and George Faber partners as Lincoln Acker and Faber are plaintiffs, and E. S. Brown is defendant, I have levied upon the following described land in said County of Carver as the property of said defendant, E. S. Brown, viz: Lot 8 in Block 43, in the village of Carver as per plat thereof on file with the Register of Deeds of said County, and I shall sell the hereinbefore described property at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the Court house in said County on the 6th day of June 1873, at 10 o'clock A. M to satisfy the sum of $72 20, the amount of said execution and costs of sale.

Chaska April 22d, 1873.

F. HECKLIN,
Sheriff of Carver Co. Minn.

SUMMONS.

State of Minnesota, Dist. Court, Eighth Judicial Dist, County of Carver. }

Louisa C. Moore, against Asa Moore.

The State of Minnesota, To the above named defendant:

You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action a copy of which is herewith served upon you and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscribers, at their office in chaska in the county of carver in the State of Minnesota within thirty days after the service of this Summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service, and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the Plaintiff in this action will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the said complaint

Dated May 19th A. D. 1873.

BAXTER & PECK,
Plaintiff's Atty's Chaska Minn.

Execution Sale.

By virtue of an execution issued out of and under the seal of the Dist. Court of Carver Co. Minnesota upon a judgment therein rendered on the 27th day of March 1872, in an action wherein L. L. Baxter & H. J. Peck partners as Baxter & Peck are plaintiffs and John N Johnson defendant for the sum of $370 98 and costs, in favor of said plaintiffs and against said defendants. I have levied upon the following described land and real estate situate in said Carver Co Minn. viz: The south west quarter & the west half of the west half of the south east quarter of the north east quarter of section twenty six (26), Township 117, Range 24, also the north west quarter and the west half of the west half of the north east quarter of the south east quarter of said section twenty six [26] containing one hundred acres of land more or less, and shall on the 5th day of July 1873 at the front door of the Court House in Chaska at 10 o'clock A. M. in the forenoon sell the above described premises at public auction or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said execution and costs of sale to the highest bidder therefor.

Dated May 21st 1873.

F. HECKLIN,
Sheriff of Carver Co Minn.

State of Minnesota, County of Carver. In Probate Court. } S. S.

In the matter of the estate of Wesley Blackketter Sr. deceased

Whereas an instrument in writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Wesley Blackketter deceased late of said county has been delivered to this court.

And whereas Spicy Blackketter the widow of said deceased, has filed therewith her petition representing among other things that said deceased was a resident of said county at the time of his death, and praying that said instrument may be admitted to Probate, and that letters testamentary be issued to Ernest Hainlin Esq. of Watertown in said county. It is ordered that the proofs of said instrument and the petition be heard before this court at the Probate court room in the court house in Chaska in said county on the 4th day of August 1873 at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day when all concerned may appear and contest the probate of said instrument, and to show cause, if any they have, why the said Hainlin should not be appointed the executor of the last will and testament of said deceased.

Ordered further that notice thereof be given to all persons interested in the estate of said deceased by publishing a copy of this order for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing in the Valley Herald a weekly newspaper printed and published at chaska in said county.

Dated at chaska the 2d day of July 1873.

J. A. SARGENT, Judge Probate

Notice Mortgage Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage dated and made executed and delivered by John Dunn and Maria Dunn mortgagers on the third day of July A. D. 1871 to Levi Pierce mortgagee and duly recorded on the fifth day of July A. D. 1871 at 2 o'clock P. M in the office of the Register of Deeds of Carver county Minnesota in Book "G" of mortgages on page 459, mortgaging the following described property situated in carver county Minnesota, to-wit:

The south east quarter (¼) of section eight [8] Township one hundred and sixteen [116] of Range twenty six (26). Also the south west quarter (¼) of section Eleven [11], Township one hundred and sixteen (116) of Range twenty six (26) containing three hundred and twenty acres more or less.

Upon which said mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of one thousand and forty three dollars and sixty four cents, and no proceedings at law having been had to collect the sum or any part thereof.

Now therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained and of the statute in such cases made and provided the aforesaid mortgaged premises will be sold at public auction by the sheriff of carver county Minnesota to the highest bidder for cash on Saturday the 12th day of July A. D. 1873 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of said day at the front door of the Court House in the Town of Chaska in said county to satisfy the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage and the costs and expenses of foreclosure and sale.

Dated Carver Minn. May 20th 1873.

LEVI PIERCE Mortgagee.
WARNER & FOWLER, Atty's. for Mortgagee.

Mortgage Foreclosure.

Whereas default has been made in the condition of a certain mortgage bearing date May 13th A. D. 1872, made and executed by John Gurasak of Watertown Carver Co. Minnesota of the first part and Napoleon Steinmetz of Carver Co. Minnesota party of the second part and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said county of carver on the 24th day of June A. D. 1872 at 2 o'clock p. m. in book "G" of mortgages pages 580 and which said mortgage covers the following pieces or parcels of land lying and being in the county of carver State of Minnesota, to-wit: [illegible]

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure.

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the condition of a certain mortgage dated April 26 A. D 1872 made and executed by Lorenz Golla and John Gurasak of Carver Co. Minnesota of the first part, and Napoleon Steinmetz of same place party of second part, which said mortgage was duly recorded in the office of Register of Deeds in and for said county of carver on the 9th day of May A. D. 1872 in book "G" of mortgages, page 580 and which said mortgage conveyed the following pieces and parcels of land lying and being in said County of Carver and State of Minnesota, to-wit:

The south west quarter (¼) of the north west quarter [¼] of section four (4) in Township one hundred and seventeen [117] of Range Twenty five [25], containing forty acres more or less — And also out lot Forty nine [49] in the village of Watertown as surveyed by R. H. Blanding Esq. and a plat thereof duly placed on file of record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said county of carver.

And whereas there is now due at the date of this notice, on said mortgage the sum of five hundred and thirty seven and 50-100 dollars. [$537,50] and no proceedings at law, or otherwise having been made to recover said sum or any portion thereof. Now therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of a power of sale in said mortgage contained and pursuant to statute in such case made and provided the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of said mortgaged premises at public auction to the highest cash bidder by the sheriff of said county of carver at the front door of the court house in Chaska in said county of carver on the 11th day of July A. D. 1873 at two o'clock of said day to satisfy said sum, interest and cost of sale, and the further sum of twenty five dollars Attorney fees as provided in said mortgage.

Dated at Chaska, May 25th 1873.

NAPOLEON STEINMETZ, Mortgagee.

SUMMONS.

State of Minnesota, County of Carver, } S S.

The State of Minnesota To the Sheriff or any constable of said County. You are hereby commanded to attach the goods and chattels, moneys effects and credits of John Kattere or so much thereof as shall be sufficient to satisfy the sum of $7.00 with interest and cost of suit whose hands or possession the same may be found in your County and so provide that the goods and chattels so attached may be subject to further proceedings thereon as the law requires and also to summons the said John Kattere if to be found, to be and appear at my office in said County on the 31st day of May A. D 1873, at 10 o'clk in the forenoon to answer to Joseph Windhoff in a civil action to his damage one hundred dollars or under.

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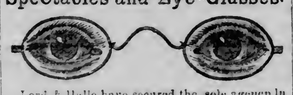

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and for each still or worm manufactured	20 00
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Manufacturers of cigars	10 00
Peddlers of tobacco, first class, [more than two horses]	50 00
Peddlers of tobacco, second class, (two horses)	25 00
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Probate Notice.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, COUNTY OF CARVER, IN PROBATE COURT, } S. S.

In the matter of the estate of John Gustafson, deceased. On reading and filing the petition of Josephine C. Gustafson and Wilhelmanna Gustafson, praying for reasons therein set forth that Henry R. Denny of Carver in said county be appointed the administratrix of the said deceased.

It is ordered that said petitioner be heard before the Judge of said Court, on the 8th day of August 1873 at one o'clock P. M. of said day at the Probate Court room in Chaska in said Co.

Ordered further that notice thereof be given to the heirs of said deceased and to all persons interested by publishing a copy of this order for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing in the Valley Herald a weekly newspaper printed and published at Chaska in said County.

Dated at Chaska July 10th 1873.

By the Court,

J. A. SARGENT, Judge Probate.

Notice to Town Assessors.

The different Township Assessors of the County of Carver, are hereby notified to meet at the County Auditors office, at the Court House, Chaska, at 11 o'clk on Saturday the 31st day of May next. 1873. Each assessor is expected to be present at the above time, as business of importance is expected to come before said meeting.

Chaska, April 31st 1873.

L. STREUKENS, Co. Auditor.

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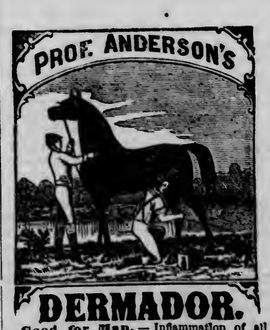

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Execution Sale.

By virtue of an execution, issued out of and under the seal of the Dist. Court of Carver Co. Minn. on the 17th day of April 1873, upon a judgment, in an action wherein Florian Lineufelser and George Faber partners as Linenfelser and Faber are plaintiffs, and E. S. Brown is defendant, I have levied upon the following described land in said County of Carver as the property of said defendant, E. S. Brown, viz: Lot 3 in Block 43, in the village of Carver as per plat thereof on file with the Register of Deeds of said County, and I shall sell the hereinbefore described property at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the Court house in said County on the 6th day of June 1873, at 10 o'clock A. M. to satisfy the sum of $72 20, the amount of said execution and costs of sale.

Chaska April 22d, 1873.

F. HECKLIN,
Sheriff of Carver Co. Minn.

SUMMONS.

State of Minnesota, Dist. Court, Eighth Judicial Dist, County of Carver. }

Louisa C. Moore, against Asa Moore.

The State of Minnesota, To the above named defendant:

You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action a copy of which is herewith served upon you and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscribers, at their office in chaska in the county of carver in the State of Minnesota within thirty days after the service of this Summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service, and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the Plaintiff in this action will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the said complaint

Dated May 19th A. D. 1873.

BAXTER & PECK,
Plaintiff's Atty's Chaska Minn.

Execution Sale.

By virtue of an execution issued out of and under the seal of the Dist. Court of Carver Co. Minnesota upon a judgment therein rendered on the 27th day of March 1872, in an action wherein L. L. Baxter & H. J. Peck partners as Baxter & Peck are plaintiffs and John N Johnson defendant for the sum of $370 56 and costs, in favor of said plaintiffs and against said defendants. I have levied upon the following described land and real estate situate in said Carver Co Minn. viz: The south west quarter & the west half of the west half of the south east quarter of the north east quarter of section twenty six (26), Township 117, Range 26, also the north west quarter and the west half of the west half of the north east quarter of the south east quarter of said section twenty six [26] containing one hundred acres of land more or less, and shall on the 5th day of July 1873 at the front door of the Court House in Chaska at 10 o'clock A. M. in the forenoon sell the above described premises at public auction or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said execution and costs of sale to the highest bidder therefor.

Dated May 21st 1873.

F. HECKLIN,
Sheriff of Carver Co. Minn.

State of Minnesota, County of Carver, In Probate Court, } S. S.

In the matter of the estate of Wesley Blackketter Sr. deceased.

Whereas an instrument in writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Wesley Blackketter deceased late of said county has been delivered to this court.

And whereas Spicy Blackketter the widow of said deceased, has filed therewith her petition representing among other things that said deceased was a resident of said county at the time of his death, and praying that said instrument may be admitted to Probate, and that letters testamentary be issued to Ernest Hainlin Esq. of Watertown in said county. It is ordered that the proofs of said instrument and the petition be heard before this court at the Probate court room in the court house in Chaska in said county on the 4th day of August 1873 at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day when all concerned may appear and contest the probate of said instrument, and to show cause, if any they have, why the said Hainlin should not be appointed the executor of the last will and testament of said deceased.

Ordered further that notice thereof be given to all persons interested in the estate of said deceased by publishing a copy of this order for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing in the Valley Herald a weekly newspaper printed and published at chaska in said county.

Dated at chaska the 2d day of July 1873.

J. A. SARGENT, Judge Probate

Notice. Mortgage Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage dated and made executed and delivered by John Dunn and Maria Dunn mortgagers on the third day of July A. D. 1871 to Levi Pierce mortgagee and duly recorded on the fifth day of July A. D. 1871 at 2 o'clock P. M in the office of the Register of Deeds of Carver county Minnesota in Book "G" of mortgages on page 450, mortgaging the following described property situated in carver county Minnesota, to-wit:

The south east quarter (¼) of section eight [8] Township one hundred and sixteen [116] of Range twenty six (26). Also the south west quarter (¼) of section Eleven [11], Township one hundred and sixteen (116) of Range twenty six (26) containing three hundred and twenty acres more or less.

Upon which said mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of one thousand and forty three dollars and sixty four cents, and no proceedings at law having been had to collect the sum or any part thereof.

Now therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained and of the statute in such cases made and provided the aforesaid mortgaged premises will be sold at public auction by the sheriff of carver county Minnesota to the highest bidder for cash on Saturday the 12th day of July A. D. 1873 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of said day at the front door of the Court House in the Town of Chaska in said county to satisfy the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage and the costs and expenses of foreclosure and sale.

Dated Carver Minn. May 29th 1873.

LEVI PIERCE Mortgagee.
WARNER & FOWLER, Atty's. for Mortgagee.

Mortgage Foreclosure.

Whereas default has been made in the condition of a certain mortgage bearing date May 13th A. D. 1872, made and executed by John Gerlaak of Watertown Carver Co. Minnesota of the first part and Napoleon Steinmetz of Carver Co. Minnesota party of the second part and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said county of carver on the 24th day of June A. D. 1872 at 2 o'clock p. m. in Book "G" of mortgages pages 525 and which said mortgage contained the following pieces or parcels of land lying and being in the county of carver, State of Minnesota, to-wit:

[illegible] quarter of the north west [illegible] Range Twenty five [illegible] forty acres more or less — And also one hundred forty nine [149] in the village of Watertown as surveyed by R. H. Blanding Esq. and a plat thereof duly placed on file of record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said county of carver.

And whereas there is now due at the date of this notice, on said mortgage the sum of five hundred and thirty seven and 50-100 dollars. [$537,50] and no proceedings at law, or otherwise having been made to recover said sum or any portion thereof. Now therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of a power of sale in said mortgage contained and pursuant to statute in such case made and provided the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of said mortgaged premises at public auction to the highest cash bidder by the sheriff of said county of carver at the front door of the court house in Chaska in said county of carver on the 11th day of July A. D. 1873 at two o'clock of said day to satisfy said sum, interest and cost of sale, and the further sum of twenty five dollars Attorney fees as provided in said mortgage.

Dated at Chaska, May 25th 1873.

NAPOLEON STEINMETZ, Mortgagee.

SUMMONS.

State of Minnesota, County of Carver, } S S.

The State of Minnesota To the Sheriff or any constable of said County. You are hereby commanded to attach the goods and chattels, moneys effects and credits of John Kattere or so much thereof as shall be sufficient to satisfy the sum of $7.00 with interest and cost of suit whoever hands or possession the same may be found in your County and so provide that the goods and chattels so attached may be subject to further proceedings thereon as the law requires and also to summons the said John Kattere if to be found, to be and appear at my office in said County on the 31st day of May A. D 1873, at 10 o'clk in the forenoon to answer to Joseph Winninghoff in a civil action to his damage one hundred dollars or under.

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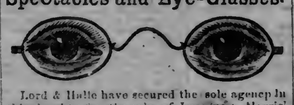

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Dealers in malt liquors, retail	20 00
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Retail dealers in leaf tobacco and on sales of over $1,000, fifty cents for every dollar in excess of $1,000,	500 00
Dealers in manufactured tobacco	5 00
Manufacturers of stills	50 00
and for each still or worm manufactured	20 00
Manufacturers of tobacco	10 00
Manufacturers of cigars	10 00
Peddlers of tobacco, first class, [more than two horses]	50 00
Peddlers of tobacco, second class, (two horses)	25 00
Peddlers of tobacco, third class, (1 horse)	15.00
Peddlers of tobacco, fourth class, (on foot or public conveyance	10 00
Brewers of less than 500 barrels	50 00
Brewers of 500 barrels or more	100 00

Any person who shall fail to comply with the foregoing requirements will be subject to severe penalities.

Special-tax Payers throughout the United States are reminded that they must make application to the Collector of their respective districts and procure the proper stamp for the Special-tax Year, commencing May 1, 1873, without waiting for further notice.

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Probate Notice.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, COUNTY OF CARVER, IN PROBATE COURT, } S. S.

In the matter of the estate of John Gustafson, deceased. On reading and filing the petition of Josephine C. Gustafson and Wilhelmanna Gustafson, praying for reasons therein set forth that Henry R. Denny of Carver in said county be appointed the administratrix of the said deceased.

It is ordered that said petitioner be heard before the Judge of said Court, on the 5th day of August 1873 at one o'clock P. M. of said day at the Probate Court room in Chaska in said Co.

Ordered further that notice thereof be given to the heirs of said deceased and to all persons interested by publishing a copy of this order for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing in the Valley Herald a weekly newspaper printed and published at Chaska in said County.

Dated at Chaska July 10th 1873.
By the Court,
J. A. SARGENT, Judge Probate.

Notice to Town Assessors.

The different Township Assessors of the County of Carver, are hereby notified to meet at the County Auditors office, at the Court House, Chaska, at 11 o'clk on Saturday the 31st day of May next. 1873. Each assessor is expected to be present at the above time, as business of importance is expected to come before said meeting.

Chaska, April 31st 1873.
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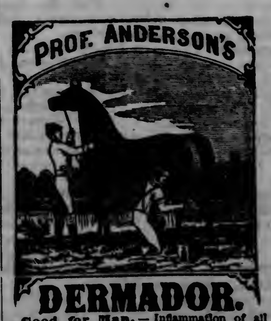

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Communication.

WATERTOWN July 7th 1873.

ED. HERALD :—When you say in the last issue of your paper—referring to a communication from Watertown, that "all sides can be heard." you must have suspected, that a few, corrections might be necessary. You will, no doubt, allow one, for whom special benefit said communication seems to have been written, to make them.

A. P. of H (as the writer referred to signs himself,) says, he feels that, a Grange of Patrons of Husbandry should be organized in every town for the purpose of breaking down monopolies etc., Now, if he had added ; provided they can be run in the interest of the *radical* party, or, at least, in the interest of a few lazy, good for-nothing radical wire-pullers in this localite ; he would have given you the whole of his mind on this subject. This chap and one or two of his chums have been moving heaven and earth to prevent the organization of a Grange here. How little he has been successful you may judge from the fact, that *thirty five actual farmers* already have made written application to the Secretary of the State Grange to be enrolled as charter members of a Grange here, and four times that number is ready to join the organization as soon as the busy season is over and money a little more plenty, amongst those active to work to perfect an organization are many good and sound Republicans, but of the kind that are disgusted with the *things* and their paid for mouth pieces in country villages. And there is where the shoe pinches.

The farmers of this locality had a very pleasant pic-nic on the Fourth of July in this village. Addresses were made by Messrs. Wetmer, Ames, Guthrie and the undersigned.

The Watertown Brass Band furnished the music, and such music as no city, needs to be ashamed of. I noticed the chaps above referred to sneaking through the bench near the pic-nic ground. He was evidently disgusted with sight of so many honest faces of hard working farmers.

Of the personal allussions to myself contained in said communication, I shall take no notice. *Dogs will bark at the moon*, and that a chap trying to live by his wits should attempt to be witty, however small his brain, is but natural.

Respectfully yours,
C. H LIENAU.

Proposed Railroad Extension.

From Albert Lea Standard.

Hon Charles McIlrath visited this place on Tuesday, and called a meeting of our citizens in the evening at Stacy & Tyrer's office, with a view of conferring in reference to putting in the link of railroad between this place and Northwood. He said that the Southern Minnesota, St. Paul & Sioux City, and Iowa Central were all anxious to have it done, to facilitate the interchange of coal and lumber, because, without this link, they were at the mercy of the Milwaukee & St. Paul Road, which was unfriendly to them. Yet neither of these companies felt able to build the line at the present time, and if it was done it must be done by the united efforts of them all, and the citizens interested. He was here, he said, to learn upon what conditions certain bonuses had been voted, and to see if that fund could be made available.—If so, those three companies might be induced to combine their efforts and build the road immediately. When completed, which would be early this fall, if at all, it would be under the control of the Iowa Central.

Our bonuses were declared to be in readiness for any company that would undertake to build. No definite conclusion could be reached, however until the authorities of Shell Rock had been conferred with.

—An Exhibition gallery has been opened at Constantinople under Mussulman patron age.

Fame is a delicate boon. When the New York Herald prints the name of Longfellow it explains in parenthesis whether it means the poet or the horse.

UPPER MISSISSIPPI.

From St. Cloud Journal.

Messrs. Hobart, Hall & Co., of Dayton, have the first of their line of steamboats intended to do a freighting business between this city and Minneapolis, nearly completed. They intend having it ready by the 25th inst., and in a few days afterwards it will be at our landing. The steamer, which is called the Minneapolis, is one hundred feet in length, twenty feet beam, and will be driven by an engine of one hundred and fifty horse power, standard. Her carrying capacity will be ninety tons, exclusive of machinery, or a total of 120 tons, though the bulk of the freight will be transported on barges.

During next winter they will build another and larger steamer, 130 feet long and 24 feet beam, to be in readiness for the opening of navigation another spring. Two hundred tons of freight are already awaiting the completion of this boat, and there is no apprehension as to a lack of business.

A steamboat for freighting purposes is also building at Clearwater, so that livelier times along the river may soon be expected. In the success of these lines of steamers St. Cloud is very much interested, as they will tend to give lower rates of freight than those now charged by the railroad,

A Benevolent Printer.

The will of the late John H. Eastburn, of Boston, bequeathes sums of money raging from $500 to $2,000 to many personal friends and to employes in his printing office, and his family servants. Also to several persons who had served an apprenticeship in his office. His printing office he gives to three workmen, who had been long in his employ. Among personal friends, Thomas Barry, a veteran actor, receives $2,000 and B. P. Shillaber $1,000. Five thousand dollars each is bequeathed to the Franklin Typographical Society, the Home for Old Men, Old Ladies' Home, Boston Asylum, and Farm School and Infant Asylum, Home for Orphans and Destitute Children ; $10,000 to the benevolent fraternity of churches, and smaller sums for numerous other benevolent purposes. Liberal provision is made for the widow and relations, and the remainder of the property given to the Boston Provident Society. The income is to be expended in supplying food, clothing, fuel and other necessaries to the poor of Boston.

HOME ITEMS

HERALD AGENT CARVER—G. A. DU TOIT

Lake Superior & M. R. R.

Trains arrive and depart from the Chaska depot as follows :

GOING NORTH.....6:50 A. M.
6:20 P. M.
GOING SOUTH.....8:33 A. M.
5:03 P. M.

S. W. LUSK, Agent.

Shakopee, Chaska & Carver accommodation Trains.

CONNECTING WITH ALL TRAINS ON SIOUX CITY R.

GOING WEST,	GOING EAST.
8:25 A. M.	8:45 A. M.
2:00 P. M.	5:10 P. M.
6:20 P. M	

H. & D. TRAINS,

Going West, 1.20 P. M. Going East, 9:00 A. M.

BUSINESS.—During the past two weeks business has been uncommonly brisk in our streets. Our merchants and business houses are crowded from morning until night, so much in excess of all previous years that it is the subject of common remark by all. We can only account for it in one way that the energy and enterprise manifest by all our business men taken in connection with our Rail Roads and facilities for business and trade makes Chaska the only real market in the County, which gives entire satisfaction to the farming community.

The amount of farm machinery sold here this season for a timber farming country is astonishing. Our increasing trade together with the large number of men brought here in employ at the brick yards gives our streets the look of business not seen in any other town in the Minneseta Valley.

☞ D. Stone has just received a full stock of dry goods of all kinds. Call and see them.

CROPS.—We had occasion lately to make a trip through the County, and from all appearances the crops never looked better. A large harvest may be expected this fall,

WHEAT.—Messrs. Linenfelser & Faber on Tuesday last sold to Henry Eames 6,300 bushels of wheat.

☞ The Thermometer in Chaska yesterday, stood 97 in the shade.

New Buildings.

We spoke last week of the new buildings in contemplation of erection in Chaska during the present season. We are this week enabled to add another to the list.

Joseph Ess, has the frame up for a two story frame wagon shop on Walnut street. This in addition to the Drug Store and the new building of Mr. Barthel will fill up that side of the block.

Leonard Grates, is building a two story brick dwelling house 22 x 30.—The first story is already up and when completed will make quite an imposing appearance.

Mr. Barthel has decided to build of brick. The cellar is already completed and work will commence upon the foundation next week.

Republican Convention.

The republican County Convention convened pursuant to notice in Waconia on Friday last. Owing to the busy season of the year the different towns were not fully represented. Yet the convention was orderly and well conducted.—Jos. Wessbecher was called upon to preside over the temporary organization, with H. R. Denny for Secretary. Committees upon credentials and temporary organization were appointed. Officers were chosen as follows :

HON. J. S. LETFORD, Prest.
H. R. DENNY, Secty.

The Convention selected the following delegates to represent the republican wing of the county in the State Convention, viz :

Peter Iltis. Chaska.
J. A. C. Flood, Watertown.
C. A Johnson, San Francisco.
A. L. Skog, Dahlgreen.

The delegates were not instructed, but it is generally supposed that they are and were supporters of Washburn.

Mr. Letford upon taking the chair made a very handsome speech.

PERSONAL.—D. L. How and G. F. Strait, former owners of the Chaska Mill, were in town on Tuesday last on business connected with the transfer of the property of the company.

Mr. Mehr, of the *Free Press* of Minneapolis made our village a call on Tuesday

John Dunn, of Carver, Mr. Hubert Marx of Shakopee greeted their many friends in town during the week.

☞ Our old friend Wm. Ochs has moved into his new house, last week purchased of Peter Barthel, where he will be pleased to see his old friends.

☞ John G. Maetzold, the popular Hotel keeper at Waconia, proposes to have a grand Pic-nic on the Island in clear water Lake, on Sunday the 27th day of July. All are invited. The Watertown Brass Band will discourse music.

BRICK.—The Chaska brick manufacturing Co's turn out daily between 90 and 100,000 of the pure cream brick. It is admitted that Chaska brick are the finest in the State.

☞ The proprietors of the mill lately run by How Strait & Co. are making some repairs, but will soon start it again.

☞ The Republican State convention which met yesterday in St. Paul nominated the following ticket : For Governor, Cushman K. Davis ; Lieut. Gov. Adolph Barto ; Secretary of State, S. P. Jennison ; State Treasurer, Mons Crinager ; Attorney General, George P. Wilson.

☞ Judge Craig, who was recently elected to the Supreme bench of Illinois and who, it has been charged, had pledged himself to the farmers' view of the railroad question, in taking the prescribed oath of office at Springfield a few days ago, subjoined thereto these words; "I will administer justice without respect to persons, and do equal right to the poor and to the rich without sale or denial, promptly, without delay, conformably to the laws, without favor, objection or partiality, to the best of my judgment and ability."

—Mrs. Salter has just received a new assortment of millinery and fancy goods.

—We understand that the Chaska Sunday Schools propose to have a Picnic on Thursday next.

☞ The morning train on the M. & St. Louis Road leaves for Minneapolis at 9:50 a. m., and arrives from Minneapolis at 5 03 p. m. Passengers from Glencoe and points on H. & D. Road can make direct connections to Minneapolis by taking the 9.50 a. m. train here.

Carver Items.

Personal.—F. Linenfelser of Chaska, was in town last week. Florian is feeling good and he ought to He is making money.

Capt. Henry Eames of Martin & Co., was in the village on Tuesday shipping wheat, bought from A. Knoblauch.

John Dunn, Jos. Weinmann, Frank Warner and others were in St. Paul on Tuesday.

Messrs. Riedell & Fuller of the Chaska Steam Mill, and successors to Strait & Co. made us a pleasant call during the week. They are both pleasant gent'eman and thorough business men. We wish them success in their new enterprise.

A. C. Lassen of Waconia spent an hour with his friends on Saturday.

Shipping.—Henry Eames shipped 5000 bushels of wheat by river on Wednesday.

Wood.—Jas. Cleary bought 2000 cords of wood in Carver last week.

Returned.—Wm. Benson has returned from a trip to Howard Lake.

WELL REPRESENTED.—Carver is well represented in the sewing machine business, having no less than six different agencies here, as follows : Chris Goetz for Wheeler & Wilson, L. L. Ruid for the Weed, H. Stoekman for the Wilson, A. Knoblauch for the Singer, Habeisen & Peterson for the Domestic, and John Snell for the Howe.

Back Again.—Our friend J. H. O'-Bryan is back on the Dummy again,—John has been under the weather for a few days, but is improving.

Met.—The town board of equalization met at the school house on Monday and transacted considerable business.

Capt. Geo. Houghton is expected home this week.

Error.—We were in error last week in stating, that A. M. Swenson was appointed administrator of the estate of John Gustavson, it was H. R. Denny, an equally good appt.

Sold.—We are informed that H. F. Henning of Dahlgreen sold his farm last week for $7000.

Running.—The Carver Steam Mill which has been undergoing repairs for a few days, is again in full blast, and is turning out a good brand of flour.

Agent.—John S. Nelson at the Carver Drug Store is agent for those celebrated "Mishlers Bitters," manufactured by S. B. Hartman & Co. Pittsburg. They are the best in the market.

Busy.—Hay is being cut on the river bottoms, and the farmers are kept busy, consequently business in town during the last week has been rather quiet,

Diphtheria.—In the summer of 1861, this disease prevailed through the Chenango Valley in the State of New York as a malignant and fatal epidemic ; some of many families, and in some instances entire families, were swept away by this fell destroyer, During this time, Dr Trask's Magnetic Ointment came into use as a remedy, and very soon was recognized as an important help in the treatment; indeed, in some neighborhoods it was relied upon as the principal remedy, Its application for all affections of the throat and lungs is attended with marked benefit. It seems to act as an alterative upon the mucous Coats of the throat and air passages, forcing out the viscid and irritating mucous and restoring the mucous surfaces to healthy action.

See advertisement in another column.

Circus men don't roam through New Hampshire much. The last Legislature passed a law to fine the proprietor of any circus attempting to exhibit in that State a sum not less than $1,000

NOTICE.

To Whom it May Concern.

We, the undersigned Merchants of Chaska, will charge all our customers 12 per cent. Int. after thirty days from purchase of goods, as we have to pay the same to our creditors.

DANIEL STONE. | P. HENK.
HENRY YOUNG. | THIES & WL'F
L. WARNER. | F. WOMMER.
FRANKEN & STAKEN.

Proposal for Building Brick Church.

Proposals are invited for the building of a brick Church at Waconia, with stone foundation 40x75, besides sanctuary. The contract will be let to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders, the brick work by the thousand and the stone work by the perch—material furnished. The foundation must be completed on or before the 1st of October next, and the brick work next spring or summer, at a time to be specified hereafter.

Sealed bids will be received by the undersigned up to July 25th, when they will be opened and the contract awarded.

FRANCIS TOPLAK, Pastor,
Catholic Church, Waconia Minn.

Premium List of the Carver County Agricultural Society.

Fair to be held at Carver on the 26th and 27th days of September A. D. 1873.

		HORSES.	
1st	Prem.	work horses	$3 00
2d	"	do	1 50
1st	"	Saddle horse	1 50
1st	"	Matched horses	2 00
1st	"	Breed mare and colt	3 00
1st	"	Mares	2 00
1st	"	Stallion	3 00
1st	"	Filly	1 50
2d	"	do	1 00
		CATTLE.	
1st	"	work oxen	2 50
2d	"	do	1 25
1st	"	Steers, 3 years and under	1 75
2d	"	do	1 00
1st	"	Bull	2 00
1st	"	Milch cow	2 00
1st	"	Heifer	1 00
		SWINE.	
1st	"	Boar	2 00
2d	"	do	1 00
1st	"	Sow	2 00
1st	"	Pigs under 5 months	1 00
		FOWLS.	
1st	"	Coop of chickens	1 00
2d	"	do	75
1st	"	Ducks	75
1st	"	Turkeys	75
1st	"	Geese	75
1st	"	Collection of fancy fowls	75
		GRAIN	
1st	"	Winter wheat	1 00
2d	"	do	50
1st	"	Spring wheat	1 00
2d	"	do	50
1st	"	Oats	1 00
2d	"	do	50
1s	"	Barley	50
1st	"	Rye	100
1st	"	Corn	1 00
2d	"	do	75
1st	"	Early beans	50
1st	"	Late do	50
1st	"	Buewheat	75
		VEGETABLES.	
1st	"	Potatoes	1 00
1st	"	do early	1 00
1st	"	do late	1 00
1st	"	Squash	50
1st	"	Variety of squash	75
1st	"	Sugar Beet	50
1st	"	Blood do	50
1st	"	Mangel Wurzel	50
1st	"	Ruta bagas	50
1st	"	Turnip	50
1st	"	Cabbage	50
1st	"	Onions	50
1st	"	Tomatoes	25
1st	"	Carrots	25
1st	"	Turnips	25
1st	"	Cauliflower	50
2d	"	do	25
1st	"	Kohl Rabbi	25
1st	"	Pumpkins	50
1st	"	Water melons	50
1st	"	do variety	75
1st	"	Mask melon	50
1st	"	Cucumbers	50
1st	"	Peppers	50
1st	"	Egg plant	25
1st	"	Collection of vegetables	1 00
		FRUITS.	
1st	"	Winter apples	3 90
2d	"	do	1 50
1st	"	Fall apples	2 50
2d	"	do	1 25
1st	"	Summer apples	2 00
1st	"	varieties of crab s	3 00
1st	"	Largest apples	1 00
1st	"	Grapes	1 00
2d	"	do	75
1st		do display	1 00
		PRODUCTIONS.	
1st	"	Flour	1 00
1st	"	Butter	1 00
2d	"	do	50
1st	"	Cheese	1 00
2d	"	do	50
1st	"	Comb honey	1 00
2d	"	do	50
1st	"	Extracted honey	50
1st	"	Hand soap	1 00
1st	"	Woolen yarn	50
		IMPLEMENTS AND MACHINERY.	
1st	Prem.	Sewing Machine	Diploma.
1st	"	Fanning do	do
1st	"	Single wagon	do
2d	"	do	do
1st	"	Washing machine	do
1st	"	Plow	do
1st	"	Harrow	do
1st	"	Stove and furniture	do
1st	"	reaper	do
1st	"	Mower	do
1st	"	Seeder	do
1st	"	Cultivator	do
1st	"	Collection of farming impnts.	do
		NEEDLE WORK.	
1st	"	Machine needle work	1 00
2d	"	do	75
1st	"	Hand needle work	1 00
2d	"	do	75
1st	"	Fancy needle work	75
1st	"	d9	50
1st	"	Display of milinery	1 50
		FLOWERS.	
1st	"	Variety of flowers	1 00
2d	"	do	50
		PAINTINGS.	
1st	"	Oil painting	1 09
2d	"	do	75
1st	"	Crayon	75
1st	"	Penciling	50
		PENMANSHIP.	
1st	"	Writing	1 00
2d	"	do	50

Disctionary premiums may be awarded upon articles not enumerated in the above, when they display merit. Two premiums will not be awarded on the same article. Entry to persons not members of the association one do lar, to members fifty cents. Price of admission to fair building 10 cents a person. Entries to be made on the first day unless the time is extended at the regular meeting.

June 21st 1873,

THEO. BOST, President.
FRANK WARNER, Secretary.

Republican County Convention.

The Republican county convention of carver county will be held at Waconia on Friday the 11th day of July 1873 at 12 o'clock m. for the purpose of electing four delegates to attend the Republican State convention to be held in Saint Paul on the 16th inst., and transacting such other business as may properly come before said county convention.

The delegates to said convention are apportioned among the several towns as follows, viz :

Benton,	3
Camden	1
Chaska,	5
Chanhassen,	3
Carver,	5
Dahlgreen	7
Hollywood,	3
Hancock,	2
Laketown,	4
San Francisco,	7
Waconia,	5
Watertown,	8
Young America,	3

By order of the Co. Committee.
J. A. C. FLOOD, Chairman.

VILLAGE ORDINANCES.

ORDINANCE No. 5.

Be it ordained by the Village Board of Chaska.

SEC. 1. That the regular monthly meeting of the Village Board of the Village of Chaska be and are hereby fixed upon the first Wednesday of each and every month until otherwise ordered to meet at the store of Messrs. Franken & Staken at the hour of 7½ o'clock p. m. of said days.

Approved, May 28th 1873.

F. E. DU TOIT, President Board of Trustees.
Attest : J. FRANKEN, Clerk.

ORDINANCE No. 6.

Be it ordained by the Village Board of Chaska.

SEC. 1. Any disorderly or intoxicated person found in any street, alley, square, saloon, or other public place in this Village, shall be arrested and confined in Jail until he shall become orderly or sober, not exceedidg twenty four hours.

SEC. 2. The Marshall of the Village hereby empowered, and it is hereby made his duty, to arrest any disorderly or intoxicated person found in any street, alley, square, saloon, or other public place in this Village, without warrant and confine him in jail, there to be kept until he shall become orderly or sober, not exceeding twenty four hours.

SEC. 3. Such disorderly person shall be arraigned before the Village Justice at the earliest moment practicable after such arrest, and if found guilty of being disorderly or intoxicated as aforesaid, shall be fined not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, for the benefit of the Village.

SECT. 4. The trial of any offender under this Ordinance shall be conducted the same as criminal cases in Justices Court, under our annual statutes of this State, except as herein provided.

Approved, May 28th 1873.

F E. DU TOIT, President Board of Trustees.
Attest, J FRANKEN, Clerk.

VILLAGE ORDINANCE No. 7.

SEC. 1. All persons are hereby forbidden prohibited and restricted from selling giving or dealing in spirituous vinous malt or fermented liquors within this Village unless duly licensed by the Village Board of Trustees of said Village

SEC. 2. Any person desiring a licence under this Ordinance must file their application therefore with the Village Clerk of said Village on or before the 1st day of July A. D 1873, and pay the said Clerk for the use of the Village the sum of twenty five dollars for a license for one year.

SECT. 3. Whoever sells, barters, gives or deals in spirituous, vinous, malt or fermented liquors, within the limits of said Village, without first having obtained a license therefore agreeable to the provisions of this Ordinance or disposes of any spirituous, vinous, malt or fermented liquors, under any protext, or in any manner, from which an intention to evade this ordinance appears, shall be fined not less than twenty five nor more than one hundred dollars for each offence.

SECT. 4. All persons engaged in the various business hereafter mentioned shall pay an annual license as follows, viz :

Proprietors of General stores,	25 00
Attorney at Law (each member)	5 00
Harness makers,	5,00
Publishers,	5,00
Proprietors of meat markets,	5,00
Proprietors of Millinery Stores,	5,00
Circus per day,	10,00
Traveling Troupes (each entertainment,)	2,00
Owners of Steam Flouring mills,	10,00
Peddlers, per year,	10,00
Auctioneers license unless residents of this County,	5,00
Proprietors of Livery Stables,	5,00

Any person who shall hereafter establish or carry on any business within the limits of said Village for which a license is required by the provisions of this section without having first obtained a license, therefore shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in a sum not exceeding thirty dollars nor less than five dollars for each and every offence.

SECT. 5. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force on and after this 4th day of June A. D. 1873. Approved.

Attest, J. FRANKEN, Clerk.
F. E. DU TOIT, President Bord of Trustees.

JOE. FRANKEN. JOS. STARKEN.

FRANKEN & CO.

New Drug STORE.

CHASKA. .. .. .. MINN.

Have just opened a new Drug Store and offer for sale a complete stock of

DRUGS & MEDICINE,

Perfumery,

Fancy,

And

Toilet Articles.

Glass, Oils,

Paints

And Varnishes.

Stationery,

AND

All Kinds

of Books,

Patent Medicines.

AND ALL OTHER ARTICLES USUALLY KEPT IN A FIRST CLASS DRUG STORE.

☞ Prescription carefully compounded at all hours from the purest Medicines.

FRANKEN & CO.

THE NEWS.

At Home.

JAMES ROSS, a butcher, committed suicide at Cleveland, Wednesday, by cutting his throat with a razor. Cause unknown.

A FIRE at the United States arsenal at Watervliet, Thursday morning, destroyed a warehouse and four sheds, filled with lumber. Loss $40,000. The fire was caused by lightning.

ARRANGEMENTS are being made at Pittsburg for the re-union of the Army of the Cumberland, Sept. 17th and 18th.

HAMILTON woolen mills, owned by Peter Shepherd and Israel Williams, at Hamilton Ohio, burned Thursday morning. Loss $80,000

AT Cleveland, on Thursday afternoon, the workmen engaged in the water-works tunnel struck a vein of gas, which, igniting from the workmen's lamp, exploded with terrible force, severely burning and bruising Joseph MacDonald, boss, and George Denman, a workman. Other explosions were heard, and the tunnel commenced to fill with water immediately. The extent of the damage is not yet ascertained, though no serious damage to the tunnel is apprehended.

A COLLISION on the Hudson branch of the Boston and Albany Railroad, Thursday morning, caused the death of one person and severely wounded six others.

THE Hamilton woolen mills, owned by Peter Sheppard & Isaac Williams, at Hamilton, Butler county, Ohio, burned at 2 o'clock Thursday morning Loss $60,000—insured in the Amazon and Enterprise, of Cincinnati, for $25,000. Opinions differ as to the cause. Some supposed the building was struck by lightning. Three men were injured, one fatally, by falling off the roof during the fire.

KEYONARI YOSHIDA and ten subordinate members of the Japanese Financial Commission, who have been traveling in Europe during the past year, arrived in New York, Monday, on their way to Japan.

AN explosion of Giant powder in Virginia City, Col., demolished Root's building and the Bank of California, and killed ten or twelve persons.

SAMUEL JONES, a farmer at South Oyster Bay, Long Island, was murdered on Friday night last, his body thrown into a well, and his house robbed.

AT St. Johnsbury, Vt., on Saturday, James Snow, a farmer, while drunk, fatally shot John Stanton, a peddler, who called at his house to sell some goods.

WISE & DONALDSON, aeronauts, are building a balloon in New York, for a private corporation, bearing the expenses, in which they propose to make a voyage to Europe, starting about August 20th.

A DUEL was fought near Montgomery Station, Louisiana, Tuesday, between ex-Judge Wm. H. Cooley and R. B. Rhett, Jr., of the Picayune, in which Cooley was killed at the second shot. The difficulty grew out of an article published in the Picayune headed "Hawkins vs. the Picayune," and a reply from Judge Cooley, published in the Times of the 27th. Col. Rhett was not touched. It is understood that Rhett was the challenging party. They fought with double-barrel shotguns, loaded with ball—distance, forty paces.

AN alligator gar, over seven feet long, was caught in the river near Alton, Ill., on Saturday night.

COL. JOHN W. FOSTER, of Chicago, died Monday night, aged 59. He was twenty years ago very prominent in Massachusetts politics, and has been widely known among men of science in this country and Europe.

GEORGE CONGDON'S mill near Cedar Mills, Mich., was burned on Friday. Loss $10,000.

A very important statement will soon be published, showing that the proceeds of the famous $1,200 check to "S. C. or bearer," were not received by Hon. Schuyler Colfax. The statement will be the testimony of a gentleman who saw Oakes Ames present that check in person at the office of the Sergeant-at-Arms and receive the money for it. This gentleman has long been absent in Europe, and was not until recently aware of the importance of his testimony.

THE War Department will send to West Point from the Ordnance Bureau, as a trophy of the late war, the first gun fired in the rebellion. It was fired at the steamer Vicksburg, bound for New Orleans, and supposed to have arms and ammunition on board belonging to the United States. The firing took place several days before any guns were fired at United States forts or troops, either at Charleston or Pensacola. It is a small four-pound cannon, formerly the property of the city of Vicksburg.

ON Sunday morning, Mr. O. D. Benjamin, proprietor of the billiard table manufactories at Cleveland and Toledo, G. R. Benjamin and George Bailey, started with a small sail-boat for Rocky river, six miles from Cleveland, on the lake shore. Nothing has since been seen or heard of them. The weather has been very squally, and it is probable they were drowned.

THE Atlantic cable of 1865 which gave out one time since, is to be repaired at once.

A BODY of a man found on Thursday on South Beach, Staten Island, was recognized as that of Col. Lionel Pesry Sidney, late of British America, who has been stopping at the DeSoto House in Beecker street, New York. He left the hotel on the 21st inst. to draw a large sum from his banker, and has not been seen since. As no money was found on his person, foul play is suspected.

AN explosion of a box of giant powder in the Hoosic tunnel, Sunday, killed four men, fatally wounded one, and seriously injured another.

THE Connecticut House of Representatives has passed a resolution condemning the back-pay steal.

AT Monroe, Mich., on Sunday evening, Mr. Belkover, of Toledo, Ohio, while seated at an open window during a thunder storm was struck by lightning and instantly killed.

DAVID BLACKLOCK, aged 40, and sister, who resided near Baltimore, were found dead in the same room, the other morning. The former was poisoned, and the latter was hanging to the bed-post; supposed suicide.

THE works of the Stonewall Oil Company, Long Island City, were burned on Saturday. Loss $125,000. The New York Oil Company lost $45,000 by the same fire.

A FIRE at Farewell, Mich., Tuesday afternoon, destroyed Linton's saw-mill, together with lumber belonging to Curtis & Ressinger and Ressinger, Piper & Co. Loss on mill $20,000 insured for $10,000. Loss on lumber $35,000—insured for $5,000. D. C. Wadwick lost $3,000 on stave and heading-mill—no insurance.

IT will require five and a half million dollars to carry on the city government of Brooklyn next year.

IN Lafayette, Ind., Sunday evening, a Swede accidentally discharged a revolver, the ball striking a lady named Sarah Bush, causing a fatal wound.

A LITTLE girl, two or three years old, daughter of a German named Bishop, fell through an old privy in Madison, on Sunday, and was suffocated before assistance could reach her.

BY the explosion of the boiler of a steam saw-mill, a few miles from Terre Haute, Saturday evening, one of the proprietors, named Robert Wilson, and one of the employes were instantly killed.

CHARLES BAKER, aged fourteen years, was accidentally shot and killed by a playmate in Baltimore on Saturday.

SOME scoundrels have placed cedar rails piles of stone, etc., on the tracks of the Illinois Central and Chicago, Burlington and Quincy railroads for the purpose of throwing trains from the track. No damage has yet been done beyond dome slight delays.

AT Terre Haute, on Saturday, John Morton, a youth of about 13 years, shot himself through the head while feeling with a pistol.

A SHOOTING affair occurred at Clarence, Iowa, Thursday. An attempt was made to rescue a prisoner from the jail. A confederate, named Castello, fired at the jailer and the fire was returned. The jailer is shot through the lungs and Castello's arm is shattered.

LAST year, when the tobacco tax was consolidated at twenty cents, it was thought that the internal revenue receipts from this source or the fiscal year now closing would show a decrease of at least five or six millions as compared with former years, but instead of that amount the figures show that the decrease is only about $80,000.

HON. WM. WHITING, member of Congress from the third Massachusetts district, is dead.

FOUR HUNDRED cases were examined by the Mexican Border Commission, aggregating only $11,000,000.

THE Indian chief Red Cloud wants one hundred white squaws for his young warriors.

LA BELLE county, Kansas, will yield 500,000 bushels of wheat this year, against 200,000 bushels in 1872.

THE corner stone of the Mount Vernon Academy, at Washington Heights, one of the suburbs of Chicago, was laid with Masonic ceremonies, on Saturday.

JOHN SMITH, who shot and wounded Sheriff Culp at Coldwater, Michigan, June 18, is sentenced to the State's prison for thirty years. He is forty years old now.

THE Phœnix building, Providence, R. I., was damaged by fire to the extent of $20,000 on Saturday.

AN International Regatta took place at Toronto on Saturday. Pittsburg won the single scull prizes in both classes, and the four-oar prize of the first class. Buffalo carried off the four-oar prize of the second class.

EIGHTY-FIVE HUNDRED emigrants arrived at New York last week.

Abroad.

NEWS has been received from Honduras that the filibustering steamer General Sherman had landed her revolutionary party, headed by E. Palacias, at Utella, Honduras. The government of Honduras has been overthrown by them, and a new one installed. Pallicias and followers were marching on Guatemala, and if they succeed in entering that territory in two or three days' march, they are almost certain to overthrow the existing government of President Banias, and re-establish the Jesuit or church party.

HON. T. THORINGTON, lately appointed U. Consul to Aspinwall, on applying to Bogota for the usual exequatur, was refused, on the ground that the government of Columbia recognized no such place as Aspinwall; only that of Colon. Secretary Fish, upon being informed of the refusal, appointed Thorington commercial agent at Aspinwall, with the powers of a consul, requiring no exequatur.

EX-QUEEN ISABELLA made lavish presents and contributions while at the Vatican.

THE Carlist leader Saballes recently had three of his officers shot, and has condemned others to death.

FOUR THOUSAND men in the province of Biscay, Spain, have declared in favor of Don Carlos.

THE Spanish Government has prepared a medal to be bestowed upon officers and soldiers who distinguish themselves in Cuba.

THE English Government has received dispatches from Sir Samuel Baker dated at Khartoum, Africa, May 29.

THE violence of the earthquake in Italy, Sunday morning, was concentrated in the country north of Venice, where its effects were terrible, both in the loss of life and ruin of property. At Belluno four persons were killed and many injured; at Pieve D' Alpige several were injured; at Torres two killed; at Caragio four; at Vaes eleven; at Vissone two, and several churches ruined. Many were badly shattered and hundreds of houses leveled with the ground. The inhabitants have not yet recovered from their terror, and thousands are encamped in the fields, but there has been no recurrence of the shocks.

THE German Government has invested $10,000,000 in United States bonds.

A LARGE and influential meeting was held a London, Monday evening, to protest against the introduction of the confessional into the Church of England.

THE Berlin weavers, to the number of 8,000, have struck work. They demand an increase of 33 per cent. in wages, which the masters refuse to grant.

THE Chinese have captured Momeita, the capital town of Burmah, northeast of Avia. The place was carried by assault, and there was a great slaughter of its defenders and inhabitants.

BIRMINGHAM and Wolverhampton journals express alarm at the decrease of orders for hardware from America and at the remarkable development of the trade in the United States, whose manufactures are supplanting those of England in the colonies and South America.

A SPECIAL from the Hague to the Pall Mall Gazette denies that any settlement has been made between the Dutch and Acheenese.

THE disorders in Seville, Spain, have been renewed, and the city is in a state of siege.

SENOR CASTADI, of Spain, has been appointed Minister of Public Works,

IT is rumored that Gen. Lesada has landed in Cuba and taken command of the insurgent forces.

Singular Freak of a Hen.

The story copied below, from the St. Albans Messenger, comes from North Hero, Vt.:

"A hen belonging to Mrs. Hayo, of this place, hatched a brood of chickens. They took the chickens away, but the hen persisted in returning to her nest. Below the nest, in a grain house, a cat produced a litter of kittens. The cat leaving her charge a few minutes, Biddy set herself very composedly upon the kittens. Puss returning, a fight ensued, in which puss was victorious. Afraid of what might happen, puss remained in charge till compelled by hunger to go after food, whereupon Biddy resumed the care of the kittens. Puss returning, and having a vivid remembrance of what she suffered at the first encounter, concluded to allow biddy to remain. This she did till it was discovered that she had smothered some of the kittens, when the latter were removed and given over to their rightful guardian.

Why Thiers Resigned.

The following letter is published by a French provincial paper: "Paris, June 7.—My Dear Sir: I thank you for your kindly remembrance. I resigned because I am deeply convinced that a party government in a country like ours, so deplorably divided, is a real *contresens*, and will only increase existing divisions. A government energetic against disorder, moderate, friendly and peaceful towards all parties that are not factions, is the only one capable of restoring a little union and well being in France. I, therefore, preferred to resign rather than follow a policy which was not mine, and which, moreover, in leaning to the Right, is far from leaning towards the majority of the country. I return to repose, my books, and my friends, desiring nothing but the re-establishment of France. Heartily yours, M. Thiers."

IT is now claimed that there is no longer any doubt of the construction of a bridge across the Hudson river near Poughkeepsie. Books of subscription to the stock will be opened in Poughkeepsie on the 20th inst.

"The Tide is Out."

BY W. W. MARSH.

The tide is out; and faint and far
The lessening ripples play;
A strange, swift loss of affluence falls
Upon the sunny bay;
And stranded kelp and tangled weeds,
And flat, wet wastes of sand,
With gaunt white rocks and shallow pools,
Disfigure all the strand.

And yet, an hour agone I passed;
What wealth of wave was here!
With all its creeks and channels full,
The bay lay broad and clear;
Its fresh green isles seemed anchored deep,
Lapped to their grasses' edge,
And deep—a blue sea's secret—slept
The weed and wave-worn ledge.

O, ebbing tide and naked shore!
O, shrunken, shallow bay!
How sharp and true the type ye bring
Of my soul's gauge to-day!
And yet, but yesterday I knew
Its farthest banks were brimmed,
And fair, green isles, in amber light,
On its still depths were limned.

I deemed I drew, in thought and word,
From unguessed depths of power;
And those dim depths flashed bright with gems
In that full flooded hour;
But ah! to-day the tide is out!
Behold these tangled weeds!
These bare, brown shoals and weltering pools
Reveal my spirit's needs.

O fair, bright bay! thy wealth of wave
Wells not from thine own springs,
Nor leaps it in from mountain heights.
Fresh as the morning's wings;
And Thou, who mark'st its ebb and flow,
The truth is too for Thee:
The flood which fills Thy deepest deeps
Flows from a far off sea.

O, shoreless sea! O, deed of love!
Thou tide of life to me!
Flow through the channels of my life
With fuller tide, and free!
Ebb then no more from out my soul;
Leave no low weltering shore!
But grant through all my being's reach,
A flood-tide evermore!

THE FROZEN TEAR.

What a cold day it was when we were delayed in D——, the cars blockaded by the snow. The station house was a rude hut with benches to sit upon, but no stove to warm the place, so that one might as well be on the outside.

I determined to find warm quarters somewhere, for we might be unable to proceed on our journey for a day or two. The engine needed some repairs, and it was many miles from any town of considerable size.

Taking a survey of the country from the station house loft, I discerned at some distance an old fashioned farm house, with what appeared to be a guideboard or sign of some kind nailed upon the side of the house. I started through the snow, using my umbrella for a walking stick, with my satchel on my arm, and in ten minutes was on the old flat stone, serving for a door step, and read my invitation to walk in, "Hotel."

The old-fashioned fire-place gave out a warmth that greeted me when I opened the door like the hearty hand-clasp of an old friend. Six rough men were scattered in different parts of the room. A table in front of a closet (minus the door) was covered with broken pitchers, tin pails and dippers. On the shelves were many different shapes containing stock in trade. I was surprised to find liquor in this out-of-the-way place. A tall man with long thin hair hanging about his ears placed a chair for me and asked if I wanted something to eat. Being now warmed I felt like sitting down to a well-spread table. The landlord's wife came and asked me what I would have for dinner. After naming over several of my accustomed dishes and receiving "Hain't got any" for my answer, I told her to bring me what she had. A large square table was standing against the wall. With her apron she brushed off some crumbs and wiped the spatters of liquor from its stained surface. A plate of fried salt pork with sodden bread was placed on the table; this, with a bowl of tea, completed my repast. I was hungry, and ate what I could, wishing when I had finished for some more, though not of the same kind.

I had been the object of interest to a gaping crowd for half an hour; and as I arose from the table and returned to my seat by the fire, one of the men with apparent effort to keep his feet following after his head, held out a dirty clay pipe. I declined the favor, and asked if he had any newspapers. "Nothin' but this 'ere," handing me a fragment of a month old Sunday Star. I took from my satchel a book of "Extracts from the Writings of Eminent Men," and asked if I should read to while away the afternoon.

"Yes," said my man of the country.

I read to them a little while, and thought my audience a silent, appreciative one, when, glancing off my book, I discovered them all asleep in various positions.

I read till I was tired, then walked the floor till the sun began to disappear behind the hills. The men woke one by one, had their tin pails filled with liquor—shuffled out of the door, each going his own way.

That night I slept before the roaring fire in the room where I ate my supper, for had I attempted staying in the loft, where a bed was made for me, I should have perished before morning.

I awoke late, and after breakfast walked down to the station. The engineer told me we could not move for another day. We expected another engine, with men to shovel through the snow, and provided they come before noon it would take all afternoon to clear the track.

I was returning to the house, a fit of the blues coming on fast, when just at the crossing I met a man in a sleigh.

"Where are the folks that got stuck here yest' morn?" came from the well wrapped man.

I informed him I was one of them; the others were scattered in the different farm houses around.

"Maybe you could do," said the man, eyeing me from head to foot.

It was cold standing there in the snow. I jumped into the sleigh with him, and he drove toward the house where I stopped over night.

"I came over here," said the man, "to find some one that would say a few words over a young woman what died yesterday on the island. You ain't a parson, be you?"

I replied I was not, but would go and read and pray with the family.

"'Twont do much good, I guess," was the reply, "but I thought it would do some good to hear a few words from the parson's lips."

After warming ourselves by the fire, and muffling well, we started for the little island, two miles from the shore. The snow was deep, there being only the tracks where the sleigh had come over in the morning. I could get no information from the man relative to the death.

"You'll know soon enough," was his answer to my enquiries.

A short distance from the Island shore stood a much better house than I had seen in D——. The man drove toward the door saying:

"This is my house, get out and warm yourself."

We entered the house by the only door visible, and found a well kept kitchen. I removed some of my wraps, thinking the dead lay here. The stranger, noticing my movement, said:

"We'll be going now."

I buttoned my overcoat and followed my guide. I could see nothing before me but an old shed. As we drew near I discovered a man's tracks leading to a door that threatened to fall in or out at any moment. My guide walked straight to the door and beckoned me to follow.

We entered the shelter, and as I gazed I reeled against the rickety door frame. A rusty stove, a pile of straw and rags, beside them a cup with a spoon frozen in a drop of milk. On the straw lay a young woman, her soft brown hair floating in waves over neck and brow, while pressed close against the cold breast lay a baby—both frozen to death.

"My God! thou knowest the cause of this," was the first thought that seized my mind.

"Look there," said the man. I drew nearer.

Did the angels weep at the sight? I grew sick and faint. The strong spoken man at my side trembled at the sight, and great tears from the pent-up fountains of years rolled down his weather beaten cheeks.

Clearer than the pearls in your hair, fair one, was the pearl I saw in that old shed. The baby's head was pillowed on the mother's arm, its little fingers clasped in the palms of its hands, so thin and white. But upon its cheek was a frozen tear drop.

"Tell me," I cried, "who has done this?"

"The husband of the woman, the father of the babe," said the man.

"Six years ago Harry Osburn was the smartest young man in yonder town," pointing to a village on the opposite shore from where I had stopped. "He married a little schoolmarm, and they seemed to get along well for a year or two Then Harry commenced to drink—first at pleasure parties, then at the tavern, then anywhere he could get liquor. They moved into cheaper houses, one after another, until, reduced to nothing, he came to this island a few weeks ago. Me and my wife came down and tried to get them up to the house, but he would not hear to it The poor, young thing there smiled like an angel when she said to us, 'The winter will not last long.'"

"Day before yesterday the man went over there for some food, and he has not come back yet."

What a coming back was this!

"Last night I was coming down in a sleigh to take them home where it was warm," and pointing toward the bed, "that was all I found."

I returned to Mr. Hubbard's house, for that was the man's name. He, with others went to the grove of pine trees, and prepared the last resting place of the young departed ones. At dinner he told me Mr. Osborne had returned with a basket of food, completely sobered by the result of his neglect

A small company gathered in Mr. Hubbard's front room. On the table, covered with a white cloth, rested the narrow house with its precious inmates. Harry Osburn sat with one hand grasping the table, the other covered his face. I read and prayed. The man never moved, but when it was time to go to the wild-wood grave, his forced composure gave way, and sobs and groans such as lost spirits might wail forth came from those blanched lips. Can I ever forget that man's anguish as he gazed on his young wife's face and the baby's curly head.

That night I stayed at Mr. Hubbard's house trying to calm Harry Osborne, for I feared his reason would leave him.

The morning sun rose clar and bright. I returned to D——, and found the train would leave at noon. With a sad heart I left the place, never to forget its bitter experience. Harry Osborne has not tasted liquor since that day. No smile has ever lit up his face. But to the unfortunate his hand is reached out and some are saved his life-long sorrow.

Signing the Declaration.

The following gossip about the Declaration of Independence is from Wood's Household Magazine, and is by the Rev. J. B. Wakeley:

In looking at the signatures, not one is written with a trembling hand except Stephen Hopkins'. It was not fear that made him tremble, for he was as true a patriot as any of them, but he was afflicted with the palsy.

But one of the residences of the signers is attached to his name, and that is Charles Carroll. It is said that one was looking over his shoulder when he wrote his name, and said to him, "There are several of your name, and if we are unsuccessful, they will not know whom to arrest." He immediately wrote "of Carrolton"—as much as to say, if there is reproach connected with this, I wish to bear my share; if any danger, I am ready to face it. There was genuine patriotism.

It was rather amusing, after they had signed their names, to hear Benjamin Franklin say to Samuel Adams: "Now I think we will all hang together." "Yes," said Mr. Adams, "or we shall all hang separately." Many have supposed that all the names were signed on the 4th of July, 1776 Not so. It was signed on that day only by the President, John Hancock, and with his signature was sent forth to the world. On the 2d day of August it was signed by all but one of the fifty-six signers whose names are attached to it. The other attached his name in November. The pen used by the signers is preserved in the Massachusetts Historical Society at Boston. What tales that pen could tell if it could speak! what a history there is connected with it!

The signers of the Declaration are dead. The hands that held the pen, and the fingers that moved it when they wrote their names on that original document, now lie cold across their bosoms. They all lived to a good old age. The average of fifty-three at the time of their decease was over sixty-eight years. The last survivor was Charles Carrol, of Carrolton, being over ninety when he died. Fourteen signers lived to be eighty years old, and four past ninety. They all sleep in honored graves."

Swimming and Bathing.

Encourage the boys and girls in learning to swim, as it may be the means of saving their own lives and rendering them instrumental in saving those of others in days to come. Also impress upon their minds the great necessity of caution ere they learn how to take care of themselves in the water. The deaths from drowning so prevalent during the summer are among the saddest incidents of the season, coming as they do suddenly, and what renders them particularly distressing is the fact that the great majority of them are caused by heedlessness. Bathing and swimming are healthy and delightful sports, and when participated in with moderation, as all pleasures should be in order to make them enjoyable, conduce greatly to the benefit of mind and body. It is the excess in this, as well as everything else, which produces the harm, and this should be strictly guarded against. Many a bright and promising lad has lost his life or undermined his health and become a sufferer, by being too venturesome in the water, or going in too often. From such items may we be spared the chronicling during the present season.—*Cape Ann Advertiser.*

THE TURF AFFECTION.—Ossification of the heart.

THE EXPLOSION AT VIRGINIA CITY.

Ten Persons Killed and Several Buildings Wrecked.

The telegraph on Monday briefly announced a terrible powder explosion at Virginia City, and the loss of a number of lives. The following additional particulars were telegraphed from San Francisco Monday evening:

"At Virginia City, Nevada, last night, a terrible explosion of nitro-glycerine occurred near the corner of Taylor and B streets, killing ten persons and wounding many others. A large number of persons are missing, probably buried beneath debris. The explosion, it is supposed, was caused by six cans of nitro-glycerine exploding without apparent cause, the concussion of that exploding fifty pounds of giant powder, all of which was stored beneath the room of General Van Bokkeln, the agent in this city for the giant powder. The following buildings were shattered and partly thrown to the ground. The Bank of California building; rear of Kennedy & Mallon's grocery; the Douglass building, used in the upper apartment as a lodging house; Daley's saloon and Armory Hall. The number of persons now known to be killed is ten, among whom are Major Gen. Jacob T. Van Bokkellen; J. P. Smith, a hardware merchant; William Darris, a clerk with J. P. Smith; Ben Mandel, dry goods merchant; Chas. H. Leon, San Francisco; John Devine; Mrs. Emily O'Conor, formerly of the International Hotel of this city; Ed Dean and a daughter eight years of age, of Gold Hill. The body of Gen. Van Bokkellen was found in his room, his features so bruised and charred as to be hardly recognizable. J. P. Smith and his former clerk were found in Taylor street, between B and C streets, about fifty feet from the room occupied by them. Both bodies were covered with debris and fallen timber, and were not gotten out till morning. Some firemen saw Mr. Knox last night and spoke to him. He asked for water, and said, "Boys, its no use; you can't save me." His body, with the exception of his head, was entirely covered by fallen timber and bricks. John Devine was hurled a distance of about 100 feet. A large number of workmen are now engaged in removing the dirt and timbers from the bodies of the seven known to be beneath them, and are working with almost superhuman efforts. The buildings in all directions are shattered.

Many narrow escapes are reported. Sam Doak and Charles Higgins were thrown down from their room in the Douglas building, Daley's Exchange, and were got out with difficulty. D. L. Blanchard was thrown from his room to another several yards off, and escaped with slight injury. Great excitement was caused last night by screaming women on the top of the Douglas building, which was at that time in flames. They were finally rescued by Capt. Frank Asbursten, assisted by the firemen.

Another explosion took place this morning at 10:30, in the rear of Kennedy & Mallon's store, but no one was injured. The body of Charles H. Knox has just been taken from the timber, and is horribly charred and mangled. The city is all excitement; business is suspended, and all the schools are dismissed. The streets are crowded with women, men and children. Ropes were drawn across the streets, as the walls of the buildings are considered dangerous.

It is now understood that there will not be any celebration of the 4th of July; that the money collected for that purpose will be expended in burying the unfortunate dead, and the remainder distributed among the different fire companies. The city will go into mourning. All flags are now at half-mast.

Joseph Sharon, Dan. Lyons, Chas. Vangarder, and Senator Hobart, who were reported killed, are all safe. It is now ascertained that Van Bokkellen had stored beneath his room six cans of nitro-glycerine, 150 pounds of Giant powder, and 300 pounds of rock blasting powder.

The officers of the Giant Powder Company in this city say they have ascertained definitely that the terrible disaster at Virginia City was not caused by the explosion of Giant powder, but nitro-glycerine, with which they think Von Bokkellen and others were experimenting at the time of the explosion."

The Origin of Saws.

Ancient history informs us that saws were first made by the Egyptians, of bronze, and were applied to cutting plank from logs, somewhat after the style of the pit-saws of our times, used in the frontiers and by shipbuilders. The inventor of the saw was held in such high esteem that he was dedified by the Greeks. The Greeks fixed the saw frame and attached a pitman to a shaft turning the shaft with hand power by means of a crank.

Hand-saws to this day are made in Asiatic countries and in Greece with the teeth pointing toward the handle, being set in groups of a dozen to the right, and a dozen to the left, and operated by pulling the saw toward the operator.

The first application of water-power for sawing lumber was inaugurated in France in the 13th century, and Germany in 1832, in Madeira in 1420, in Norway about 1530. Holland was in advance of England 100 years.

The first attempt to run a saw-mill in England was made in London, in the year 1663, by a Hollander. The opposition of the hand-sawyers compelled an abandonment of the project the same year. An Englishman erected a mill some distance from London in 1768, which was successfully operated until destroyed by a mob. Circular saws were first used in 1700, by Brunnel in making ship blocks, and soon after adopted by the English Government at Portsmouth. The first mill built in New England was in 1634, and the first in New York in 1633. The oldest saw factory in the United States was established by Rowland, at Philadelphia in 1802. The plates were also rolled at that place.

The First Rabagas.

Perhaps every one does not know how the Rabagas originated—the real, the first Rabagas. It appears that Cora Pearl, one evening, at the time when Sardou's play was running, declared that she would "create a hat that would next but one appear at every fashionable modiste's in Paris." Upon this she laid a heavy bet, and springing from her chair trod upon the crown of a gentleman's hat that lay upon the floor. Picking it up in its crushed state, she pinned a rose upon one edge, which she turned up, twisted a necktie about it, and behold the Rabagas! This she wore next day upon the Boulevard. Next day but one, in every fashionable milliner's store in Paris there appeared a hat, crushed in, with turned-up brim and a single rose. The bet was won.

WHO WAS HE?

The Skeleton of the California Desert—Pictures Found About It.

The California papers are asking the New Englanders who have lost a father, a husband or brother, who probably left their arms for the wilds of the Pacific coast long years ago to find them a fortune, with which he promised to return and make them comfortable and happy. This one never returned, and his family, if any of them still live, have not heard from their protector for a long time. He died among the sand hills of San Mateo County, between Lake Merced and the ocean, and his bones have been lying there bleaching for years. The skeleton was seen three or four years ago by some thoughtless men, who passed by on the other side and left it undisturbed. A few weeks ago it was again met in the desert, and near it were found several pictures which are evidently twenty years old. There are two daguerreotypes and an ambrotype, and they may lead to the identification of the owner. One is that of a beautiful young woman of over twenty years of age apparently. Her long, natural black curls fall below her shoulders. She had on an old-fashioned drawn-silk bonnet, with face flowers, and long, wide ribbons tucked under the chin. Her cloak and dress are of some dark cloth; lace under-sleeves pointed, and kid gloves. A bright, large, expressive black eye. The other daguerreotype is of a female about thirty-five or forty years old, hair dark and done up plainly, and ear-rings, plain gold breastpin, lace collar and spotted dress. The third is an ambrotype of a girl, who would pass as a daughter to the last; hair cut short, dark colored dress, cut low in the neck, short sleeves; a small locket on the breast is attached to a chain around the neck. There these pictures have been gazing upon those bones, and the originals, far away, have looked in vain for the living to return and comfort them. The daguerreotypes are only enclosed in the metal inner casing, with common gilded border and copper back. The California artists say that the work was probably done in Maine, and the portraits are those of New Englanders. Copies of them are to be taken and sent east.

The Banana.

It is acknowledged that no other plant will yield so much food for man on an acre of ground as the banana, for yield it with so little outlay of labor. Where the mean temperature is about 82 deg. Fahrenheit the yield per acre is about seventy-five tons. Even when the mean temperature is as low as 75 degrees or 76 degrees its cultivation is still advantageous; a mean at 5 degrees gives a middling return, but when it sinks to 66 degrees the product fails to be remunerative. Under the most favorable conditions a single tree will yield three crops in a year, of seventy-five pounds each. It is propagated by offsetts of suckers, and prepares a soil rich and humid, but care must be taken that it be well drained, either naturally or by artificial means. Of the total weight of the fruit nearly thirty-seven per cent. must be deducted for the rind, the remainder being edible. While the banana is green, it is mainly starchy, but as it ripens this is changed into sugar and gum. In the tropical countries where it grows it is mainly used green, and stripped of its rind and roasted under hot ashes. It is often dried in a baker's oven, by which it loses sixty per cent. of its weight and becomes hard and translucent, and is used instead of buscuit in forest journeys and coast voyages by the natives. The fruit is very nutritious, even when only half ripe; six and one-half pounds of it, together with two ounces of salted meat have been, in many cases, the regular daily food for laborers in many banana-growing regions. It was proposed many years ago to grind dried bananas to flour for export to Europe, as a staple article of food, but the project seems to have come to nothing. Considering the large amount of starch contained in the unripe fruit, and the sugar in that allowed to ripen, it would seem perfectly feasibly to use it in the manufacture of alcohol, etc., in the same manner that potatoes are now applied to such purpose.

For the Cholera.

From the New York Journal of Commerce.

More than forty years ago, when it was found that prevention for the Asiatic cholera was easier than cure, the learned doctors of both hemispheres drew up a prescription, which was published (for working people) in the New York Sun, and took the name of the "Sun cholera mixture. Our cotemporary never lent its name to a better article. We have seen it in constant use for nearly two score years, and found it to be the best remedy for looseness of the bowels ever yet devised. It is to be commended for several reasons. It is not to be mixed with liquor, and therefore will not be used as an alcoholic beverage; its ingredients are well known among all the common people, and it will have no prejudice to combat; each of the materials is equal in proportion to the others, and it may therefore be compounded without professional skill; and, as the dose is very small, it may be carried in a tiny phial in the waistcoat pocket, and be always at hand. It is:

Tinct, opii,
Capsici,
Rhei co.
Menth pip.,
Campho.

Mix the above in equal parts; dose, ten to thirty drops. In plain terms, take equal parts of tincture of opium, red pepper, rhubarb, peppermint and camphor, and mix them for use. In case of diarrhœa, take a dose of ten to twenty drops in three or four teaspoonfuls of water. No one who has this by him, and takes it in time, will ever have the cholera. We commend it to our Western friends and hope that the receipe will be widely published. Even when no cholera is anticipated, it is an excellent remedy for an ordinary summer complaint.

MR. BONNER has driven different horses to road wagon in the fastest time ever made in that way, at all distances from a quarter of a mile to two miles. He has driven Startle a quarter of a mile to road wagon in 38 seconds, which is the fastest time ever made to road wagon for that distance. He has driven Dexter half a mile to road wagon in 1:06, which is the fastest half mile to road wagon ever driven; and the same horse a full mile in 2:21¼, which is the fastest full mile to road wagon ever driven. Lady Palmer and Flatbush Maid he drove two miles to road wagon in 5:01¼, and that performance for the same distance has never been equalled.

LYDIA MURRY, the female cab-driver of London, was recently fined for fast driving.

Upward.

BY JAMES H. MORSE.

Up from this grosser world,
Testing the golden wing,
There where the smoke is whirled,
There where the mists are swirled,
Mount thou, my soul, and sing

Where, for thy company,
Strain of a thousand rills
Rises from sun-lit lea,
Rises from sun-kissed sea,
Rises from thousand hills.

Odors of flowers, this day
Steeped in the morning dew,
Speed with the winds away,
There with the winds to stay,
Glad in the upper blue.

Mount thou, my thought, and sing
High in the azure. There
Risen, shalt find each thing
Lifted on golden wing,
Borne on the blithesome air.

Birds are there, and the bright
Murmurous life of the wood;
Burnished gold and the white
Starry glitter of light
Flash from the "silver brood."

Thither all songs are sent
Sung the wide world around:
Love on sweet instrument,
All of life's merriment,
That may be winged with sound.

Sweet thought, be thus uplift—
Up through the grosser air,
There, with the clouds that shift
Hither and thither, drift
Free from this lower care.

—*Christian Union.*

General Items.

ROCHESTER claims 100,000 population; has really about 68,000.

NEW ORLEANS University has established the degree of "Maid of Science."

LORD NIGLE KENNEDY has gone into bankruptcy with debts aggregating £5,000, and no assets.

THERE is a "snow-hole" in Williamstown, Mass., where snow can be seen at any season of the year.

IT is reported that all the logs are now out of the Penobscot boom for the first time in sixteen years.

A HARVARD sophomore was among the recently rejected applicants at West Point.

A COTEMPORARY says that the London Times is growing dull and slipshod and second-rate, all of which is very true.

OLD visitors scarcely recognize the Ocean House, Long Branch, on account of the many improvements made by the Lelands.

KENTUCKY elects a Legislature in August. There is a general sentiment in favor of a constitutional convention in the State.

A LADY teacher in Troy received two counterfeit $20 bills from the city as the reward of her labors for the past month.

A "MAGIC TRAVELING DUSTER" is a new article for women's wear now displayed in the stores. It is only the latest illustration of witchcraft.

A NEW ENGLAND journal has discovered that the degree of L. L. D. was conferred on General Phil. Sheridan on account of his knowledge of cannon law.

THERE is a tree standing in front of the Dyersburg, Tenn., Presbyterian Church that has been struck by lightning nineteen times; and it is a good tree yet.

A HOUSE in which ten persons were sleeping was forced from its foundations at the foot of a cliff in Montreal, a few days ago, by the fall of a huge rock, and was pushed out into the middle of the road without any injury to the inmates.

A MINNESOTA paper asserts that a kerosene lamp, so set that the rays of the sun passed through it and came to a focus on a window curtain, set the curtain on fire.

AND now the stove trade has its journal, a monthly magazine, published in Albany, and devoted exclusively to the warm advocacy of the burning interests of stove manufacturers.

ON the eve of a battle, an officer came to ask permission of the commander to go and see his father, who was on his death bed. "Go," said the General, "you 'honor your father and your mother, that your days may be long upon the land.'"

THE present population of the principal cities of Great Britain is as follows: London, 3,356,072; Liverpool, 505,274; Glasgow, 498,462; Manchester, 354,057; Dublin, 314,666; Edinburg, 308,553.

NOW THAT the ladies' fans have attained a useful size, it is suggested that fan parties for the purpose of winnowing wheat would be a seasonable and sensible pastime for the ladies who are summering in the rural districts.

A CORRESPONDENT of the Boston Transcript, who renews the cry that our country needs a distinctive name, suggests that Westland might, perhaps, be as good a one as England is for our mother land. Our people, he says, might then be called Westlanders, or, better still, Westerans.

TWO LONDON swells recently had a quarrel about a bet, and, after a challenge had been given and accepted, a difficulty arose about the choice of weapons. They referred it to Guy Livingstone, the author, who decided that they should meet in the middle of Piccadilly with horsewhips, and belabor each other until one cried enough. The plan was insisted on, and the combat actually came off in that manner, resulting in the speedy satisfaction of one of the parties.

THE veritable flag which waved over Fort McHenry in 1814, when it was bombarded by the British forces, and which suggested the composing of "The Star-spangled Banner," has been sent to the navy yard at Charlestown, Mass. for repairs. The flag was originally thirty-six feet long and twenty-four wide, but from usage it has lost some four feet of its length, and one of its fifteen stars was also shot away. It has fifteen stripes, for it was not until 1848 that the law was passed restricting the number of stripes upon our flags to thirteen.

MRS. FAIR, having failed to effect a compromise with Judge Quint, or to induce him to abate a dollar of his judgment claim against her for legal services on her two trials for murder, has settled the same as the only basis possible, namely, full payment. The judgment was for $2,900, which was raised by the costs to $3,200, which sum Mrs. Fair has paid in United States gold coin.

ON the Austrian ten-florin notes is an artistically executed design in which a miner is represented as standing between a shepherd and a husbandman. The three figures represent the three great wealth producing classes in Austria. It may seem strange that commerce should be altogether ignored on the circulating medium of a great empire. But the fortunes that are made in Trieste bear no sort of relation to the revenues drawn from lands which are taxed for the benefit of the treasury.

Love Immortal.

A maid reclined beside a stream,
At fall of summer day,
And half awake, and half a-dream,
She watched the ripples play;
She marked the waters fall and heave,
The deepening shadows throng,
And heard, as darkened down the eve,
The river's bubbling song;
And thus it sang, with twinkling tongue,
That rippling, seadowy river—
"Youth's brightest day will fade away,
Forever and forever!"
The twilight past, the moon at last
Rose broadly o'e'r the night;
Each ripple gleams beneath her beams,
As wrought in silver light.
The heaving waters glide along,
But mingling with their voice,
The nightingale now pours his song,
And makes the shades rejoice;
And thus he sang, with tuneful tongue,
That bird beside the river—
"When youth is gone, true love shines on,
Forever and forever!"

FARM AND HOUSEHOLD.

Curing Rennet.

Cheese "consists of the casine of milk, separated and condensed." To effect this separation, coagulation or "curdling" must take place, and nothing has hitherto been found to accomplish this so perfectly as the prepared stomach of the calf. The several steps are as follows:

The stomachs, fresh from the hands of the butcher, are cleaned and salted, and then closely packed in a deep earthen vessel. In this state they should lie for several months. A few weeks previous to use they are taken out and drained of all brine, then spread out, sprinkled with salt, and dried. A couple of pieces, say four or five square inches, of these are steeped in a pint of water, in which has been dissolved half a tablespoonful of salt. Let this stand over night, and the result will be a quantity of rennet sufficient for one hundred gallons of milk.

Another method, on a larger scale, is to procure a large jar, the larger the better, in the bottom of which carefully drill a half inch hole. In this hole fit a stout wooden tap, to be used for draining off the liquid. Next make a brine strong enough to bear an egg. Boil half an hour, and when quite cold pour into a jar, adding for every two gallons of water six vels, or prepared stomachs, a sliced lemon and an ounce of saltpetre; other well-flavored spices may be added at pleasure, as they tend to keep the rennet in good condition. This should be prepared three or four months before using. Great care should be taken in all cases that the vels are sound and sweet, and that the salt used is of the first quality. Rennet thus made will coagulate 1,800 times its weight in milk.

To Pickle Eggs.

Messrs. De La Vergne & Hare, one of the largest egg dealing firms in New York, gives to the Times of that city the following recipe for pickling eggs, which they use with great success: To make a good pickle, get one bushel of clean lump lime, free from dirt and all foreign matter, four quarts of fine salt, and sixteen ten-quart pails of pure water, hard or soft, and as free from vegetable matter as possible. Slake the lime with two or three pails of water, and dissolve the salt in a pail of it; then add the salt and the balance of the water. Stir the preparation well; let it stand a short time, and stir it again three or four times. Finally, let it settle and dip the clear pickle into the cistern or cask you are to preserve in, filling it about half full. After this has been done, dip the eggs into the pickle with a dipper or basket made for the purpose. When the cistern or cask is nearly full of eggs and they are well covered with pickle, spread a cotton cloth over them, and spread on that a layer of two or three inches of the thick lime that is left after the clear pickle has been dipped off. The best arrangement for preserving eggs is to build a vat or cistern below the cellar-bottom, being careful to get it well made, tight, and from six or seven feet long, five feet wide, and four or five feet deep. Eggs pickled according to this recipe given have been known to keep for two years.

The Sitting Fever.

We do not very well understand the character of the impulse to sit, any further than that it is certainly a constitutional condition not dependent upon the will of the fowl. That birds in their wild state, and many in the tame, should betray the desire to sit just as they have laid eggs enough to cover, would seem difficult to account for on the supposition of the condition being purely a physical and not at all a mental one; but the law of natural selection finds here one of its simplest applications, for of a number of fowls of the same breed, those would have the greatest number of off-spring who laid the most eggs before sitting, and, therefore, in the course of time, the strains that had the habit of laying large clutches would become by far the most numerous, driving the others in the end.

It is only when we look upon the so-called "sitting fever" as a purely constitutional condition that we see the great folly of many methods in vogue for "breaking her up," which are addressed to the will of the fowl, as if all we had to do is to change that.

Probably, this error is one of the most common sources of ill-treatment and cruelty in the barn-yard. We refer to ducking the hen, tying her up and scaring her, running a quill through her nostrils, making her stand in a shallow pan of cold water, etc. The application of cold water, indeed, would seem to have rather more sense than some others, but it is unnecessary, and troublesome as well as cruel.

If you make a business of breeding to any extent (we are speaking of the rearing of eggs and fowls for market), it will be decided economy to have a breed of non-sitters for your laying-stock. If this is not practicable the best thing for the health of your stock is to put up with the loss of time for a while, and let the hen sit on some nest eggs for a few days or a week, and after that, which is really a period of needed rest, shut her up for a short time. This will generally cure her, provided the nest is destroyed, so that on coming out she cannot find it. Sometimes it will be necessary to shut up a cock with her.—*The Poultry World.*

Leaking Teats.

Mr. J. J. Pettibone, of Manchester, Vt. writes that a young and valuable cow of his had a hole in the side of each of her hind teats, which made it very unpleasant for the milker—she being young and a superior cow. He commenced by experimenting by clipping the edge of the holes, thinking they might grow up, but without success. As a second resource he heated a wire and while hot inserted it into the holes, when the cow was dry. Now that she gives milk again, she is found to be all right.

Raising Heavy Turkeys.

A correspondent of the Poultry Bulletin writes: "In theory most people believe that weight in the parents tells in the offspring. In practice they are quite content to breed from light weights, because they are so easily found. In turkey breeding, where weight is the main thing in deciding profit at the close of the year, nine farmers out of ten will breed from a second litter cock, weighing 16 pounds or less, if they happen to have him, rather than invest a five or ten dollar bill in a stout, well-built early bird, weighing a third more, or in a yearling weighing double. Very few breeders have faith enough in heavy birds, to keep a cock over the second or third year. They want the extra flesh on him sold at the market price. I have tried breeding from both young and old birds, and have no doubt that it is much better economy to breed from the largest and best birds even at high prices. In the spring of 1871, I purchased a fine young cock weighing 25 pounds, the offspring of a pair that weighed 62 pounds. I mated him with a flock of young turkeys with one or two exceptions. The chickens were strong and healthy, and I thought made birds good enough. In the spring of 1872, I kept the same cock, weighing then 31 pounds, with the same hens, adding two or three young birds. I raised 101 turkeys against 70 the previous year; they matured earlier, and both the cocks and hens that I have sold during the fall and winter have run much larger. I have no doubt that much is gained in the weight of the flock by breeding from two or three year old birds of the finest form and heaviest weight. If only two pounds to the bird is gained, it makes quite a difference in a flock of one hundred. It is somewhat difficult to get hold of yearling toms that will weigh 30 pounds and upwards. It costs something to feed a big turkey a year, and the breeder who has possession of the bird generally has a use for him. Turkeys do not attain their full size until the third year, and it is safe to breed from them four or five years.

The Proper Way to Lead a Cow.

Every woman will tell you that a man can be led easier by putting an arm around his neck than by pulling his hair, but we never know till recently that the reason you can't lead a cow behind a wagon is because she objects to having her horns pulled.

The other day a red-shirted emigrant passed through here on his way to Carroll County. His family and household possessions were in a covered wagon, to the hind end of which was fastened a cow. Behind her with a sharp stick walked the emigrant, giving her a smart welt occasionally when she hung back. Every now and then she would brace herself and stop the wagon, and then in unclerical language he would beseech her to go on, marking each forcible period with a prod of the sharp stick. The poor cow rolled her eyes and rolled her tongue. The poor emigrant, too, was dusty and tired, but his voice and stick did not fail him. She had suddenly halted the procession in front of the Post Office, and was shaking her head in reply to his earnest entreaties, when a man called out to Red Shirt that he did not "understand cows worth a cent."

"Well, what are you going to do about it?" asked the Red Shirt.

"Why just take that rope off her horns, and put it round her neck, and she'll lead as quiet as a lamb. If she don't I'll follow her a mile myself."

The rope was changed to her neck and the team started. She gave a look of surprise and walked along. "Well, that beats all," said Red Shirt, and without a word of thanks he mounted his wagon. The procession moved slowly on toward Carroll County, and the cow followed with countenance as placid as if she were walking home at milking time.—*Ames (Iowa) Intelligencer.*

Domestic Recipes.

GREEN TOMATO PICKLES.—To every gallon of sliced tomatoes add two tablespoons of salt, and let them stand over night. Do not pour off the liquor, but add two-thirds of a pound of sugar, one pint grated horse-radish, two tablespoons of mustard. Put a weight on the top and set near the fire or in a warm place until they become sour, when they should be kept in a cold place. The juice of the tomatoes forms the vinegar, and if some are partly ripe it is all the better. No scum rises on the top, and they will keep a long time.

COCOANUT CAKE.—To one pound of grated cocoanut, one pound of light brown sugar, add half a pint of water; bring the water and sugar to a boiling point, then add the cocoanut; boil the whole three-fourths of an hour, or until the water has entirely disappeared. Make it up into cakes, sprinkle flour on the board or tin, put the cakes thereon, and dry them in an oven not browning them.

RECIPE FOR FLOATING ISLAND.—Take three eggs, three tea cups of sweet milk, three tablespoons sugar; separate the whites of the eggs from the yolk; beat the yolks, add the milk, then the sugar; put on the stove to cook, stirring it constantly until it begins to thicken (do not let it boil or it will curdle); beat the whites to a stiff froth and just before taking it off the stove slip the whites on the custard and dip it up through to cook it; season with lemon or nutmeg.

PRESERVING CUT FLOWERS.—When cut flowers have faded after having been placed in a bouquet, or perhaps worn for a whole evening in a head-dress, they may be revived in the morning by cutting half an inch from the lower end of the stem, and putting this end instantly into boiling water. The thickest textured flowers amend most readily. Flowers that have lain a whole night on a table, after having been worn the night before, have been renovated next morning in this way by a cup of hot water. Carnations, axales, roses and geraniums may be thus treated, and have been known to keep fresh afterwards almost as long as if they had been newly gathered. Per keeping flowers in water, finely powdered charcoal in which the stalks can be stuck, placed at the bottom of the vase, is a wonderful preservative, rendering the water free from obnoxious impurities.

One Type of English Holiday Makers.

He is amost vigorous, industrious, persistent person, eager to see new things, experience new enjoyments, and having the honorable reputation of being a traveler. He is not content to go to the same beer garden night after night, to listen to the same band playing the same music, while he drinks Pilsener or Wiener, and smokes innumerable pipes; nor would he care to frequent for any length of time a favorite casino, hearing the same burlesque songs, drinking *cau sucre*, and watching the same wild dancing he has seen many times these five years back. He loves to put a vast deal of working into his pleasure making. In the hottest of days he may be found dragging his wife and half a dozen children, two of them in arms, to some suburban resort, where he must pull in boats or play quoits, or indulge in amateur wrestling, running or donkey riding—the more the merrier. He will put as much railway traveling into the twelve hours as would pretty nearly kill a Queen's messenger, and will come home in the evening thoroughly tired out, but with a consciousness of having done his duty, got as much enjoyment as was possible out of his idle time, and added to his stock of knowledge by having seen strange cities and peoples.

THE GRAND PACIFIC HOTEL.

One of the most marked institutions of the outgrowth of life in our larger centers of population is the great hotel, and no feature is more notable and remarkable in New Chicago than the vast caravanseries that are to make her the hotel city of the continent. The largest of these, and the largest hotel structure in the world, is the Grand Pacific, a cut of which we give in this issue, at once the pride and the marvel of the Garden City. Its immense size and elegance are well indicated in the engraving, and very reliable in suggestiveness as to the appointments and adornments of the interior. The Grand Pacific covers an area of 64,000 square feet, an entire block, bounded by Clark, Jackson, LaSalle and Quincy Sts. Opposite, on Clark St., is rapidly rising the vast government building, also occupying an entire square. The material of the fronts of the great hotel is the beautiful olive-tinted Ohio sand-stone. The structure cost over one million dollars, and its furnishing by the lessees, Messrs. George W. Gage, David A. Gage, and John A. Rice, nearly four hundred thousand dollars, an expenditure warranted by their twenty years' lease, and securing throughout a richness, elegance, and solidity that will give enduring attractiveness to the hotel, and carry its fame among travelers all over the globe. The carpets of the house, Axminster, Aubisson, Wilton and English Brussels, are all in new styles, and largely in special designs, and aggregate over *six acres*. The beautiful carpets of the corridors, eleven feet wide, amount to *over a mile* in length. The features of the hotel that most strike the visitor and guest are the two immense interior courts, used respectively for the grand office and the office arcade. The principal Dining Hall is 135 by 65 feet; the Ladies' Ordinary 75 by 75 feet; the Grand Parlor 100 by 25 feet the noble promenade with its Corinthian Colonade is 150 by 30 feet. The kitchen, fitted up with the most approved appliances of the *cuisine*, is 140 by 60 feet. The system of protection against fire is perfect. The floors are filled in with cement, and the floor beams bricked in between partitions. The house has its regular disciplined fire brigade of fifty trusty employes. Standing iron columns from the street, vast tanks in the roof, the most powerful steam pump in the city, with 3,000 feet of hose always kept attached in various parts of the house. A telegraphic alarm in every room, and the new and perfect electric clock system of Prof. Hamblet are among the appliances and safeguards against conflagration. From three hydrants on the roof the hotel force can protect their own structure and help the safety of adjoining buildings. It would be difficult to suggest a feature in a great hotel which the Grand Pacific has not. The entire work of carrying the structure to completion has been for many months in charge of the lessees, whose reputations and fortunes were made in the Sherman House, destroyed in the great fire. Few strangers will visit Chicago without making the Grand Pacific one of the principal lions of their visit. Twenty months have given Chicago a marvelous beauty in her new structures, which in extent more than restore her former business capacity. Her streets are now lined with tall blocks that are unsurpassed in variety and richness in any city in the world. Our readers will thank us for the presentment of the largest and most striking structure of all, the Grand Pacific, which on the first day of June, 1873, opened its doors to guests.

Rapid Promotion.

A good story, apropos of prevailing financial complications, comes to a Berlin paper from a small town in Poland. A law of the Jewish synagogue there compelled insolvent members of the congregation to retire to worship in obscurity in the back part of the building until their affairs were arranged. A speculator who had succumbed to the recent "Krach," as it is called, was accordingly moved from his prominent seat in front to the door, but in the course of a Sabbath or two was found in his old place in front again, and was congratulated for the speedy arrangement of his affair. "It is not quite that," he answered, "but all the rest have been put back behind me one by one."

WINNING GOLDEN OPINIONS.—Perhaps no man living has won more golden opinions than Dr. Walker, as the enormous and widely increasing sale of his CALIFORNIA VINEGAR BITTERS attests. We never look into one of our exchanges, but there is a panegyric of the Bitters staring us in the face. Our readers will say that there must be a reason for all this praise. They are right. The efficacy of this celebrated medicine is established by evidence which it is impossible to doubt. Among the thousands who have borne testimony to its excellence, there is not one dissentient voice. In very many phases of inorganic disease it seems to be unfailing. All diseases arising from a vitiated state of the blood are surely eradicated by it. It is an effectual remedy for pulmonary complaints, bilious, remittent and intermittent fevers, rheumatism and dyspepsia. It purges the body of all unhealthy humors, gives tone to the system, and where the vital powers are enfeebled, restores their functions to vigorous and healthy action. All this it does the more effectually because its operation is not interfered with by the presence of alcohol. The VINEGAR BITTERS is perfectly free from any such hurtful ingredient. We have always believed that plants contain the true remedies for disease, and *all* the remedies necessary. Dr. Walker is on the line of real progress, and we hope that he will not rest on his present discoveries.—Com.

A Dummy Baronet.

This is a curious story from London, and fit to be worked up in one of Wilkie Collins' novels. There is a rumor that a rich baronet, long crazy, and represented to be still living, did really die some years ago, but that the relatives to whose custody he was committed, desiring to retain the allowance made to them for taking care of him, have caused to be made a clay figure, a great likeness of the deceased. When the official guardians of the dead lunatic call to see him, the figure is shown to them seated in an easy chair by the fire, with an intimation that he cannot bear to be approached or disturbed.

It frequently happens that a farm will not divide well among children; there is trouble in making an equitable distribution of the property. In such instances it is well to consider the subject of life insurance. For a small sum paid annually, a large amount of ready money may be left to the widow or daughter at the period of one's death; and they will be just as independent as the sons who divide and keep the farm. This suggestion is well worth heeding by thousands who are interested, and we commend them to the old New York Life Insurance Co., at 346 and 348 Broadway, New York. Full particulars mailed free on application.—Com.

Suggestions for Summer.

It is of great importance that the system should be in a vigorous condition when the hot weather commences. The effects of a high temperature upon an enfeebled frame are always more or less disastrous. The loss of substance and the declension of nervous power, occasioned by excessive heat, can only be compensated by active, healthful, and regular exercise of all the bodily functions by which the waste of nature is replenished and the vital energies renewed. The great utility of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters as a means of toning, invigorating and regulating the organs of the body, is universally acknowledged. As a tonic it stimulates the flagging appetite and accelerates digestion; as a corrective it neutralizes acidity of the stomach and relieves flatulency; as an alterative and mild aperient it regulates the liver and the bowels; as an anodyne it promotes tranquil sleep; as a wholesome stimulant it imparts firmness and elasticity to the relaxed and trembling nerves, and as a blood depurent it purifies the vital stream. The value of such a specific to the weak and debilitated is beyond estimate. To invalids wilted down by [illegible] all heat of midsummer, it is as refreshi[illegible] the sultry days as the cool night dew to th[illegible]ing and vitalizers. Composed of vegeta[illegible] the sun-scorched flowers, [illegible] basis of pure diffusi[illegible] soble elements only, with a [illegible] atable as well [illegible] stimulant, it is safe and palatable. [illegible] medicinal. In fever and ague districts, [illegible] wherever the natural conditions are conducive to epidemic disease, it is considered the best safeguard against malarious infection, and the speediest remedy for intermittent and remittent fevers.

As exhibition of Japanese curiosities has been opened at Nagasaki, in a temple (Dazaifu) in Chikuzan. It consists principally of antiquities, some of which are stated to be 900 or 1,000 years old, that have been collected together from the neighboring districts.

A GENTLEMAN afflicted with the chronic rheumatism says, "No description of my case can convey the vast amount of benefit I have received from the use of *Johnson's Anodyne Liniment.* I believe it is the best article in the world for rheumatism."

IF a horse has a good constitution, and has once been a good horse, no matter how old or how much run down he may be, he can be greatly improved, and in many respects made as good as new, by a liberal use of *Sheridan's Cavalry Condition Powders.*—Com.

A BUSINESS THAT PAYS.—See advertisement of "*Wealth and Wonders of the Boundless West*" One agent is clearing $200 per week.—Com.

CHOLERA AND PAIN KILLER.—Perry Davis' Pain Killer is an excellent regulator of the stomach and bowels, and should always be kept on hand, especially at this season of the year, when so many suffer from bowel complaints. There is nothing so quick to relieve an Attack of Cholera.

Sold at only 25 cents a bottle, by Merchants and medicine dealers generally.—Com.

SOMETHING THAT TAKES.—The threefold combination agency for selling "*Wealth and Wonders of the Boundless West.*" There is much *sure money* in it. See advertisement.—Com.

CHAPPED HANDS, face, rough skin, pimples, ring-worm, salt-rheum and other cutaneous, affections, cured, and the skin made soft and smooth, by using the JUNIPER TAR SOAP, made by CASWELL, HAZARD & Co., New York. Be certain to get the *Juniper Tar Soap*, made by us, as there are many imitations made with common tar which are worthless.—Com.

OUR readers should be careful to notice that PROCTER & GAMBLE'S STAMP is upon the bars of their MOTTLED GERMAN SOAP, as all good articles are imitated, and this Soap being so popular other manufacturers have copied their stamp.

FOR FARMERS.—"*Wealth and Wonders of the Boundless West.*" It is new, and having a wonderful sale. Advertised in this paper.—Com.

IF you desire rosy cheeks and a complexion fair and free from Pimples, Blotches and Eruptions, purify your blood by taking Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It has no equal for this purpose. 617

MR. RICHARD C. MANNING, of Mass., owns a square of glass, taken from a window in his grandfather's house, on which Nathaniel Hawthorne, years ago, wrote his name with a diamond.

PAIN-KILLER—ITS MERITS.

ASIATIC CHOLERA IN CHINA.

TENGCHOW, China, Aug. 23.

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T. P. CRAWFORD.

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If you are suffering from INTERNAL PAIN, *Twenty to Thirty Drops in a little Water* will almost instantly cure you. There is nothing to equal it. In a few moments it cures

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In sections of the country where

FEVER AND AGUE

Prevails there is no remedy held in greater esteem. Persons traveling should keep it by them. A few drops, in water, will prevent sickness or bowel troubles from change of water.

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Boy presents a mutilated bill in a Hartford bake-shop. Little girl, who is acting chief clerk: "My father is very perpendicular about taking torn bills."

THE MARKETS.

NEW YORK.

BEEF CATTLE—Fair to prime	$ 7 00	@	12 50
HOGS—Live	5 50	@	5 37½
SHEEP—Fair to prime	4 25	@	5 50
COTTON—Middling		@	21
FLOUR—Spring Extra	6 20	@	6 75
WHEAT—No. 2 Spring	1 47	@	1 48
CORN—Western Mixed	50	@	54
OATS—Western	44½	@	47
RYE—Western	80	@	83
BARLEY	90	@	1 60
PORK—Mess		@	16 50
LARD	8⅞	@	9⅛

CHICAGO.

CATTLE—Choice to extra prime	$ 5 25	@	6 00
Medium to choice	5 00	@	5 20
Common to fair	4 10	@	4 40
HOGS—Live	4 25	@	4 65
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EGGS—Fresh	12½	@	13
FLOUR—White winter extra	8 50	@	10 00
Spring extra	6 50	@	7 25
WHEAT—Spring, No. 1		@	1 20
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OATS	30	@	40
RYE		@	68
BARLEY	65	@	70
PORK—Mess		@	16 00
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WHEAT—No. 3 Fall		@	1 40
CORN		@	35
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RYE	52	@	52½
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BUTTER—Choice	16	@	18
EGGS—Fresh	12	@	13
FLOUR—White winter extra	7 50	@	8 25
Spring extra	6 00	@	7 00
WHEAT—Spring, No. 1		@	1 26
No. 2		@	1 20
CORN—No. 2		@	34
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Execution Sale

By virtue of an execution, issued out of and under the seal of the Dist. Court of Carver Co. Minn. on the 17th day of April 1873, upon a judgment, in an action wherein Florian Linenfelser and George Faber partners as Linenfelser and Faber are plaintiffs, and E. S. Brown is defendant, I have levied upon the following described land in said County of Carver as the property of said defendant, E. S. Brown, viz: Lot's in Block 13, in the village of Carver as per plat thereof on file with the Register of Deeds of said County, and I shall sell the hereinbefore described property at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the Court house in said County on the 6th day of June 1873, at 10 o'clock A. M. to satisfy the sum of $72 29, the amount of said execution and costs of sale.

Chaska April 22d, 1873.

F. HECKLIN,
Sheriff of Carver Co. Minn.

SUMMONS.

State of Minnesota, Dist. Court,
Eighth Judicial Dist,
County of Carver.

Louisa C. Moore, against Asa Moore.

The State of Minnesota, To the above named defendant:

You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action a copy of which is herewith served upon you and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscribers, at their office in chaska in the county of carver in the State of Minnesota within thirty days after the service of this Summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service, and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the Plaintiff in this action will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the said complaint.

Dated May 19th A. D. 1873.

BAXTER & PECK,
Plaintiff's Atty's Chaska Minn.

Execution Sale.

By virtue of an execution issued out of and under the seal of the Dist. Court of Carver Co. Minnesota upon a judgment therein rendered on the 27th day of March 1872, in an action wherein L. L. Baxter & H. J. Peck partners as Baxter & Peck are plaintiffs and John N Johnson defendant for the sum of $570 85 and costs, in favor of said plaintiffs and against said defendants. I have levied upon the following described land and real estate situate in said Carver Co. Minn. viz: The south west quarter & the west half of the west half of the south east quarter of the north east quarter of section twenty (20) Township 117, Range 26, also the north west quarter and the west half of the north east quarter of the south east quarter of said section twenty six [26] containing one hundred acres of land more or less, and shall on the 5th day of July 1873 at the front door of the Court House in Chaska at 10 o'clock A. M. in the forenoon sell the above described premises at public auction or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said execution and costs of sale to the highest bidder therefor.

Dated May 21st 1873.

F. HECKLIN
Sheriff of Carver Co. Minn.

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver. } S. S.
In Probate Court,

In the matter of the estate of Wesley Blackketter Sr. deceased.

Whereas an instrument in writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Wesley Blackketter deceased late of said county has been delivered to this court.

And whereas Spicy Blackketter the widow of said deceased, has filed therewith her petition representing among other things that said deceased was a resident of said county at the time of his death, and praying that said instrument may be admitted to Probate, and that letters testamentary be issued to Ernest Hainlin Esq. of Watertown in said county. It is ordered that the proofs of said instrument and the petition be heard before this court at the Probate court room in the court house in Chaska in said county on the 4th day of August 1873 at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day when all concerned may appear and contest the probate of said instrument, and to shew cause, if any they have, why the said Hainlin should not be appointed the executor of the last will and testament of said deceased.

Ordered further that notice thereof be given to all persons interested in the estate of said deceased by publishing a copy of this order for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing in the Valley Herald a weekly newspaper printed and published at chaska in said county.

Dated at chaska the 2d day of July 1873.

J. A. SARGENT, Judge Probate.

Notice Mortgage Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage dated and made executed and delivered by John Dunn and Maria Dunn mortgagors on the third day of July A. D. 1871 to Levi Pierce mortgagee and duly recorded on the fifth day of July A. D. 1871 at 2 o'clock P. M in the office of the Register of Deeds of Carver county Minnesota in Book "G" of mortgages on page 459, mortgaging the following described property situated in carver county Minnesota, to-wit:

The south east quarter (¼) of section eight [8] Township one hundred and sixteen [116] of Range twenty six (26). Also the south west quarter (¼) of section eleven [11]. Township one hundred and sixteen (116) of Range twenty six (26) containing three hundred and twenty acres more or less.

Upon which said mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of one thousand and forty three dollars and sixty four cents, and no proceedings at law having been had to collect the sum or any part thereof.

Now therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained and of the statute in such cases made and provided the aforesaid mortgaged premises will be sold at public auction by the sheriff of carver county Minnesota to the highest bidder for cash on Saturday the 12th day of July A. D. 1873 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of said day at the front door of the Court House in the Town of Chaska in said county to satisfy the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage and the costs and expenses of foreclosure and sale.

Dated Carver Minn. May 22th 1873.

LEVI PIERCE Mortgagee.
WARNER & FOWLER, Atty's. for Mortgagee.

Mortgage Foreclosure.

Whereas default has been made in the condition of a certain mortgage bearing date May 15th A. D. 1872, made and executed by John Grasak of Watertown Carver Co. Minnesota of the first part and Napoleon Steinmetz of Carver Co. Minnesota party of the second part and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said county of carver on the 24th day of June A. D. 1872 at 2 o'clock p. m., in book "G" of mortgages pages 503 and which said mortgage contained the following pieces or parcels of land lying and being in the county of carver, State of Minnesota, to-wit:

The south west quarter of the north west quarter of section number four in Township one hundred and seventeen of Range twenty five, and also; out lot number forty nine in the village of Watertown as surveyed, by R. H. Blanding and a plat the eof having been duly placed on file of record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said county of carver. And whereas there is due at the date of this notice, on said mortgage the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars and five cents, and no proceedings at law, or otherwise having been had to recover said sum or any portion thereof. Now therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of a power of sale in said mortgage contained and pursuant to the statutes in such case made and provided the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of said mortgaged premises at public auction to the sheriff of said county of carver on Friday the 11th day of July A. D. 1873 at 1 o'clock P. M., of said day to satisfy said sum interest and costs of sale and twenty five dollars attorneys fees stipulated in said mortgage.

Chaska, May 15th 1873.

NAPOLLION STEINMETZ, Mortgagee.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure.

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the condition of a certain mortgage dated April 23 A. D. 1872 made and executed by Lorenz Golla and John Garosak of Carver Co. Minnesota of the first part, and Napoleon Steinmetz of same place party of second part, which said mortgage was duly recorded in the office of Register of Deeds in and for said county of carver on the 24 h day of May A. D. 1872 in book "G" of mortgages page 500 and which said mortgage conveyed the following pieces and parcels of land lying and being in said County of Carver and State of Minnesota, to-wit:

The south west quarter (¼) of the north west quarter (¼) of section four (4) in Township one hundred and seventeen [117] of Range Twenty five [25], containing forty acres more or less—And also out lot forty nine [49] in the village of Watertown as surveyed by R. H. Blanding Esq. and a plat thereof duly placed on file of record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said county of carver.

And whereas there is now due at the date of this notice, on said mortgage the sum of five hundred and thirty seven and 50-100 dollars. [$537,50] and no proceedings at law, or otherwise having been made to recover said sum or any portion thereof. Now therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of a power of sale in said mortgage contained and pursuant to statute in such case made and provided the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of said mortgaged premises at public auction to the highest cash bidder by the sheriff of said county of carver at the front door of the court house in Chaska in said county of carver on the 11th day of July A. D. 1873 at two o'clock of said day to satisfy said sum, interest and cost of sale, and the further sum of twenty five dollars Attorney fees as provided in said mortgage.

Dated at Chaska, May 25th 1873.

NAPOLEON STEINMETZ Mortgagee.

SUMMONS.

State of Minnesota, }
County of Carver, } S. S.

The State of Minnesota To the Sheriff or any constable of said County. You are hereby commanded to attach the goods and chattels, moneys effects and credits of John Kattere or so much thereof as shall be sufficient to satisfy the sum of $7.00 with interest and cost of suit whoever hands or possession the same may be found in your County and so provide that the goods and chattels so attached may be subject to further proceedings thereon as the law requires and also to summon the said John Kattere if to be found, to be and appear at my office in said County on the 31st day of May A. D 1873, at 10 o'clk in the forenoon to answer to Joseph Winninghoff in a civil action to his damage one hundred dollars or under.

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and on sales of over $1,000, fifty cents for every dollar in excess of $1,000.	
Dealers in manufactured tobacco	5 00
Manufacturers of stills	50 00
and for each still or worm manufactured	20 00
Manufacturers of tobacco	10 00
Manufacturers of cigars	10 00
Peddlers of tobacco, first class, [more than two horses]	50 00
Peddlers of tobacco, second class, (two horses)	25 00
Peddlers of tobacco, third class, (1 horse)	15 00
Peddlers of tobacco, fourth class, (on foot or public conveyance	10 00
Brewers of less than 500 barrels	50 00
Brewers of 500 barrels or more	100 00

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Special-tax Payers throughout the United States are reminded that they must make application to the Collector of their respective districts and procure the proper stamp for the Special-tax Year, commencing May 1, 1873, without waiting for further notice.

IRVING TODD,
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Probate Notice.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
COUNTY OF CARVER, } S. S.
IN PROBATE COURT,

In the matter of the estate of John Gustafson deceased. On reading and filing the petition of Josephine C. Gustafson and Wilhelmanna Gustafson, praying for reasons therein set forth that Henry R. Denny of Carver in said county be appointed the administratrix of the said deceased.

It is ordered that said petitioner be heard before the Judge of said Court, on the 8th day of August 1873 at one o'clock P. M. of said day at the Probate Court room in Chaska in said Co.

Ordered further that notice thereof be given to the heirs of said deceased and to all persons interested by publishing a copy of this order for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing in the Valley Herald a weekly newspaper printed and published at Chaska in said County.

Dated at Chaska July 10th 1873.
By the Court.

J. A. SARGENT, Judge Probate.

Notice to Town Assessors

The different Township Assessors of the County of Carver, are hereby notified to meet at the County Auditors office, at the Court House, Chaska, at 11 o'clk on Saturday the 31st day of May next. 1873. Each assessor is expected to be present at the above time, as business of importance is expected to come before said meeting.

Chaska, April 31st 1873.

L. STREUKENS, Co. Auditor.

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Official County Paper.

BY F. E. DU TOIT.

CHASKA THURSDAY JULY 24 1873.

Republican State Ticket.

We simply announced last week, the nominees of the late Republican State Convention, as the late hour at which the news was received here precluded any comment thereon.

The contest for Governor was one between the old State House "ring" and the young republicans led by the St. Paul *Dispatch*. The ring supported Genl. Washburn of Minneapolis and the *Dispatch* U. S. Dist. Attorney, C. K. Davis, of St. Paul, and to say that the fight was a bitter and exciting one, would but faintly convey an idea of the contest—suffice it to say, that upon the fifth ballot, the Hon, C. K. Davis carried off the prize by the close vote of 155 to 153, from which our readers may judge the nature of the contest—the war was bitter and unrelenting on both sides and threats and innuendoes are still indulged in by the press of the two clans — What may be the result is yet mere conjecture, as the whipping-in process will probably be applied to the Washburnites with vigor ere the campaign terminates.

Mr. Davis is an able young lawyer, and brilliant talker, and would make a far better U. S. Senator than Governor, as he does not in our opinion possess the executive ability and deseretion necessary to make a successful Governor.

Alphonso Barto a third rate lawyer and man in every respect, is the nominee for Lieut. Gov. and is not very highly complimented even by his own press.

Gen. Jennison was re nominated for the position of Secretary of State, the only creditable nomination made.

Geo. P. Wilson for Attorney General and Mons Grinager for Treasurer, completes the ticket.

It is a weak and unpalpable ticket in every respect and not worthy the support of the people of this State. The German element were entirely ignored in the repudiation of Col. Plender candidate for Secty. of State.

Now cannot the citizens of this State irrespective of party, meet in convention and nominate a ticket acceptable to the mass and in full accord with the people in their war upon monopolies and corruption in whatever quarter. Set the ball in motion.

COUNTY POLITICS.

Our Carver correspondent mentions a score of names of candidates for county offices—from which it can readily be inferred that we are to have a grand time all "around" this fall. We shall have something to say on that subject next week,

MANITOBA.

The Winnepeg Manitoban of the 12th is at hand, but it contains nothing of special interest concerning the Gordon affair. In the notice of the arrest of the Minnesotians, there is the following budget of blunders:

"L. R. Bently, a large hardware merchant of this place, and a citizen of the United States, was arrested; also Lorian Flether and G. N. Marion, (Merriam) a wealthy and influential citizen of the U. S., &c. We noticed a number of Americans arriving in town on Saturday—in fact so many made their appearance that a rescue was vaguely hinted at; however, the prisoners were removed to the fort on Sunday morning, from which we don't apprehend they will be taken except by the proper authorities."

In another paragraph the Manitoban quiets the apprehension of the loyal Winnipeggers by the following paragraph:

Our garrison has been augmented by the addition 156 men; 56 artillery from the Kingston School of Gunnery, 50 infantry from New Brunswick and 50 from Nova Scotia, and one officer. They arrived on Saturday last, via Fort Francis, in charge of Captain McDonald, and are now undergoing their setting up drill. This makes our military force 300 men strong.

The Manitoban defends, at considerable length, the character of Gordon, and endeavors to convey the impression that he is a victim of the Erie ring.

Patrons of Husbandry.

At a regular meeting of Cereal Grange, No. 25, Patrons of Husbandry, held at Hastings, Minnesota, on the 19th inst., on motion of Ignatius Donnelly, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Whereas, We learn that certain of our fellow citizens are withheld from entering the Granges by reason of religious and conscientious scruples, and yet are heartily with us in sympathy, and desire to co-operate with us.

Resolved, That we cordially invite all such persons to form open agricultural societies throughout the State, and unite with us in any and all movements for advancing the condition of the farming class.

Resolved, That the St. Paul Pioneer, and the newspapers of this county are requested to publish the foregoing resolution.

HOME ITEMS

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Lake Superior & M. R. R.

Trains arrive and depart from the Chaska depot as follows:

GOING NORTH.....6:20 P. M.

GOING SOUTH.....9:33 A. M.

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Shakopee, Chaska & Carver Accommodation Trains.

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8:25 A. M.	8:45 A. M.
2:00 P. M.	5:10 P. M.
6:20 p. m	

H. & D. TRAINS,

Going West, 1.20 P. M. Going East, 9;00 A. M.

CHASKA.

Chaska is assuming considerable prominence as a manufacturing place, although no claims to that prominence have heretofore been put forth. We have three Flouring Mills, one run by steam, capable of turning out over 100 barrels of extra flour per day. It is owned and operated by E. H. Reidell & Co., and is engaged exclusively in the merchant trade. Then we have the two water power grist mills of Messrs. Bernartz & Co., and Mr. A Riederle, who are engaged in custom work and have all they can do. This branch of manufacture gives employment to over 26 men during the year around and is a great source of revenue, profit and benefit to the place.

The manufacture of the celebrated Chaska cream brick, brings in an immense sum of money annually and employs a large number of hands who make Chaska their home. We have three yards in operation, two of which are supplied with the most improved machinery. Messrs. L Warner & Co., have a patent machine with dry kilns attached which cost some $10,000.

J. W Gregg & Co, also operate with a patent machine of little less capacity than that of Warner & Co., but which is of nearly equal value and importance.

Mr. J. Murray owns and operates the third yard and is manufacturing an extra quality of brick. The conbined yards turn out fully 100,000 brick per day and have a capacity of 150,000.—The yards employ some 75 hands, besides those engaged in transporting the same to St. Paul and other points by river.

The Messrs. Kenning Bros., have a steam power door, sash, front and planing manufacturing establishment and are now doing work of a superior order.

Mr. Fink has also a power turning and furniture machine in operation and informs us that he will move into town next spring and branch out more extensively. We have also several wagon shops that gives employment to a large number of mechanics.

Over $100 000 is already invested in the manufacturing business in this village and it is still in its infancy. It is therefore but reasonable to expect an increase of over 50 per cent in the next two years, as several new establishments are contemplated and almost assured at the present time.

Thus it will be seen that Chaska can lay claim to being one of the manufacturing points of the state and base that claim upon reliable data.

LARGE BARN.—Tobias Ottinger of Laketown, has just completed a mommoth barn 42 x 68, 2 stories. It is one of the largest structures of the kind in the County. The Messrs. Kenning's were the builders.

RUMORED.—It is rumored about our village, that the Sioux City Road has purchased the Minneapolis Road and will shortly assume control of the same. But we are as yet, unable to trace the rumor to any reliable source. Should it be so, it is surmised by the knowing ones about town that the little "Dummy" will be "no more," or will, in other words, be withdrawn from this trade.

HAYING.—Haying is almost over in this locality. The yield is not as heavy as usual, owing probably to the unusual amount of rain in the spring.

CHARGING INTEREST.—From a notice signed by nearly all of our merchants, it will be seen that they intend to charge 12 per cent inst., on all sales after 30 days from the purchase of goods. It stands the public to pay as they go and thereby save int. and perchance cost of suits.

HARVESTING.—Harvesting has commenced in this locality. Winter wheat, Rye and Barley fields are being harvested and from all accounts the yield will be more than an average one in this County. The prospects are also good for an extra yield of spring wheat and oats.

CHASKA MARKET.—The following are the market quotation as we go to press,

Wheat 90 cents per bushel; Barley 40; Oats 30. Eggs 15 cents per doz. Butter 10 cents per lb. New potatoes $1 per bushel.

SIDE WALK.—The village Board will commence laying a new side walk on Chestnut St., commencing at the Minneapolis depot. It is very much needed as in the spring and fall of the year it is very muddy about the depot and difficult of access by pedestrians.

AUCTIONEER.—From the card of Mr. Byhoffer, which appears in another column, it will be seen that he offers his service to the citizens of this County, as County auctioneer. Mr. B., is well known and will give good satisfaction to any one needing his service in that line.

THANKS.—The St. Paul "Mannerchor" and "Leider Kranz" Singing Societies, in passing resolutions of regret at the death of their leader Papa Esch, includes the Chaska Concordia, in the list. A deserved compliment.

☞ Mr. F. A. Renz, formerly a resident of this County, but now of St. Paul has recently been appointed City Treasurer of St Paul, a position made vacant by the death of Papa Esch. A good appointment.

BOARDING HOUSE.—Mr. Byhoffer announces to the public in another column, that he is now prepared to furnish first class board by the day or week. He has pleasant rooms, good beds and a quiet and retired place, such as will assure comfort and satisfaction to either the steady boarder, or traveler. Charges moderate. Give him a call.

PERSONAL.—Judge Ebinger, is we are glad to say, slowly mending and strong hopes are now entertained by his friends that he will soon be able to venture out of the house

Mr. G. Bongard, of Bongard Station, this county, made us a pleasant call on Monday while on his way to Minneapolis on business.

The "Fishing Club" of this village, made Lake Minnetonka a visit during the week.

Quite a number of Chaska-ites will visit Waconia next Sunday, if the weather permits.

Messrs. A. B. White and W. L. Stevens, two prominent business men of Berea, Ohio, visited our city on Monday and Tuesday and expressed themselves highly pleased with our location and prospects.

M. H. Iltis, who has been in Minneapolis for the last three weeks, paid his old home and friends a visit on Saturday last.

Mr. Fowler and Mr. Burk of Carver, made us pleasant calls during the week.

What is Dermador?—It is a compound word from Derma, the skin, and Doron, gift, signifying the giving or restitution of a sound skin. Prof. Anderson being a scientific man invented this word as the best illustration of the use of his wonderful liniment, and evidently no word can be found of equal significance. See advertisement in another column.

Carver Items.

CANDIDATES.—For the benefit of our readers throughout the County we will give them a list of the several candidates for office at the coming election as far as heard from. For County Attorney on the Democratic side of the House, are Jos. Weinmann, the present incumbent and H. J. Peck, and on the Republican side is Ernest Hainlin of Watertown. For Register of Deeds is Fred Greiner, present incumbent, Ed Reusse of Benton, and J. Thos. Kerker of Chaska. For Judge of Probate, J. A. Sargent, present incumbent, and Freeman James of Chaska. For Sheriff, F. Hecklin, present incumbent, Nic Schoenborn and Fred Foster of Carver, also Geo. W. Smith of Young America upon the Republican side. And for Treasurer we can hear of but one name mentioned, and that is our present popular and accommodating Treasurer, Frank Hassenstab, it nearly looks as though he would have no opposition. In the Carver district, Chas. Bachman is again mentioned for the House, as is also Mr. Reusse of Benton, Frank Warner of Carver and Dr. Bray. The Republicans name A. W. Tiffany, A. J. Carlson, H. R. Denny and John D. Skone. In the Chaska district we hear the names of Henry Young, John Kerker and F. E. Du Toit while in the Watertown district is, E. Hainlin, C H. Lienau, Matt. Kelly, A. C. Lassen and Jos. Wessbecher. There you are gentlemen of the conventions—make your selections.

Boat.—The Steamer Aunt Betsy, arrived at our levee on Sunday morning having three wood barges in tow belonging to Helgeson.

Potatoes.—New potatoes have been selling during the week at the rate of one dollar per bushel, an expensive luxury these hard times.

Sold.—Fred Stroecker sold his horse team on Monday for $375, and Jacob Bueche his white ponies for $400.

Anderson & Sundine sold 2500 bushels wheat to W. O. Luttgen of Minneapolis, and it is being shipped to Chicago.

Raspberries have been selling on our streets during the week at 20 cts. per quart. They seem rather high.

Personal.—Hon. Wm. H. Forbes, U. S. Indian Agent at Fort Totten spent a night in town last week. The Major was here on official business, seeing after 40 pair of cattle which Alx. McDougal of Minneapolis had bought for him. The first time Major Forbes visited this locality was in the year 1837, now being 36 years ago, and at which time there was a large band of Sioux Indians camped upon the spot where Carver now stands, He can tell some interesting stories of times long since passed. He with Genl. Sibley were about the first white men to put their feet upon Minnesota soil.

A. W. Tiffany, Julius Schaler and others from Young America were in town last week. They report things about that city in a very flourishing condition.

We had a pleasant call from Patrick Colbert and Wm. Murphy also.

Judge Sargent and H. J. Peck from the "seat of destiny" made us calls during the week.

Our former citizens, Charlie Blomquist and A. M. Swenson now of Minneapolis spent an hour or two with their friends on Tuesday.

In Trouble.—L. R. Bently who is prominently connected in the "Manitoba Squabble" is a friend of H. R. Denny of this place. He used to travel for a hardware house, and often sold Mr. Denny goods. Mr. D. says he is a good fellow, and has been keeping store in that country for a year past.

Crops.—From what we can gather from our country friends we should judge that the crops are very good.—Harvesting has begun, and wheat is certainly good, corn is also doing well.

Hon. Dana E. King, passed through town on Saturday bound for Glencoe.—He is feeling about as well as usual but would rather have liked his friend W. D. Washburn nominated for Gov., but of course accepts the situation.

NOTICE.

To Whom it May Concern.

We, the undersigned Merchants of Chaska, will charge all our customers 12 per cent. Int. after thirty days from purchase of goods, as we have to pay the same to our creditors.

DANIEL STONE. | P. HENK.
HENRY YOUNG. | THIES & WLF
L. WARNER. | F. WOMMER.
FRANKEN & STAKEN.

Strayed or Stolen.

From the village of Chaska on Saturday night last, July 19th, one chestnut sorrel horse, 8 yrs. old. Said horse weighs about 1000 pounds and has a small white spot in forehead. A liberal reward will be paid for information leading to his recovery.

Chaska July 23d 1873.

DR. J. S. RICHARDSON.

NOTICE.

Payments for back subscription to the HERALD must be made at once. We are very much in need of money and are consequently obliged to call on all those indebted to pay up.

Boarding House.

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CHASKA, ... MINN.

The undersigned has opened a first class private boarding house, and is now prepared to properly keep boarders, tourists and travelers in good style. Good stabling attached to the premises,

Chaska July 23d 1873.

JACOB BYHOFFER, Propr.

Public Auctioneer.

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The undersigned has been duly authorized to act as auctioneer in this County and respectfully solicits a share of the patronage from my old friends of this County. Terms reasonable.

Chaska July 23d 1873.

JACOB BYHOFFER, Auctioneer.

Premium List of the Carver County Agricultural Society.

Fair to be held at Carver on the 26th and 27th days of September A. D. 1873.

		HORSES.	
1st	Prem.	work horses	$3 00
2d	"	do	1 50
1st	"	Saddle horse	2 50
1st	"	Matched horses	2 00
1st	"	Breod mare and colt	2 00
1st	"	Mares	2 00
1st	"	Stallion	3 00
1st	"	Filly	1 50
2d	"	do	1 00
		CATTLE.	
1st	"	work oxen	2 50
2d	"	do	1 25
1st	"	Steers, 3 years and under	1 75
2d	"	do	1 00
1st	"	Bull	2 00
1st	"	Milch cow	2 00
1st	"	Heifer	1 00
		SWINE.	
1st	"	Boar	2 00
2d	"	do	1 00
1st	"	Sow	2 00
1st	"	Pigs under 5 months	1 00
		FOWLS.	
1st	"	Coop of chickens	1 00
2d	"	do	75
1st	"	Ducks	75
1st	"	Turkeys	75
1st	"	Geese	75
1st	"	Collection of fancy fowls	75
		GRAIN	
1st	"	Winter wheat	1 00
2d	"	do	50
1st	"	Spring wheat	1 00
2d	"	do	50
1st	"	Oats	1 00
2d	"	do	50
1s	"	Barley	50
1st	"	Rye	100
1st	"	Corn	1 00
2d	"	do	75
1st	"	Early beans	50
1st	"	Late do	50
1st	"	Buewheat	75
		VEGETABLES.	
1st	"	Potatoes	1 00
1st	"	do early	1 00
1st	"	do late	1 00
1st	"	Squash	50
1st	"	Variety of squash	75
1st	"	Sugar Beet	50
1st	"	Blood do	50
1st	"	Mangel Wurzel	50
1st	"	Ruta bagas	50
1st	"	Turnip	50
1st	"	Cabbage	50
1st	"	Onions	50
1st	"	Tomatoes	25
1st	"	Carrots	25
1st	"	Turnips	25
1st	"	Cauliflower	50
2d	"	do	25
1st	"	Kohl Rabbi	25
1st	"	Pumpkins	50
1st	"	Water melons	50
1st	"	do variety	75
1st	"	Musk melon	50
1st	"	Cucumbers	50
1st	"	Peppers	50
1st	"	Egg plant	25
1st	"	Collection of vegetables	1 00
		FRUITS.	
1st	"	Winter apples	3 90
2d	"	do	1 50
1st	"	Fall apples	2 50
2d	"	do	1 25
1st	"	Summer apples	2 00
1st	"	varieties of crabs	3 00
1st	"	Largest apples	1 00
1st	"	Grapes	1 00
2d	"	do	75
1st		do display	1 00
		PRODUCTIONS.	
1st	"	Flour	1 00
1st	"	Butter	1 00
2d	"	do	50
1st	"	Cheese	1 00
2d	"	do	50
1st	"	Comb honey	1 00
2d	"	do	50
1st	"	Extracted honey	50
1st	"	Hand soap	1 00
1st	"	Woolen yarn	50
		IMPLEMENTS AND MACHINERY.	
1st	Prem.	Sewing Machine	Diploma.
1st	"	Fanning do	do
1st	"	Single wagon	do
2d	"	do	do
1st	"	Washing machine	do
1st	"	Plow	do
1st	"	Harrow	do
1st	"	Stove and furniture	do
1st	"	reaper	do
1st	"	Mower	do
1st	"	Seeder	do
1st	"	Cultivator	do
1st	"	Collection of farming impnts.	do
		NEEDLE WORK.	
1st	"	Machine needle work	1 00
2d	"	do	75
1st	"	Hand needle-work	1 00
2d	"	do	75
1st	"	Fancy needle work	75
1st	"	do	50
1st	"	Displap of millinery	1 50
		FLOWERS.	
1st	"	Variety of flowers	1 00
2d	"	do	50
		PAINTINGS.	
1st	"	Oil painting	1 00
2d		do	75
1st	"	Crayon	75
1st	"	Penciling	50
		PENMANSHIP.	
1st	"	Writing	1 00
2d	"	do	50

Discretionary premiums may be awarded upon articles not enumerated in the above, when they display merit. Two premiums will not be awarded on the same article. Entry to persons not members of the association one dollar, to members fifty cents. Price of admission to fair building 10 cents a person. Entries to be made on the first day unless the time is extended at the regular meeting.

June 21st 1873,

THEO. BOST, President.

FRANK WARNER, Secretary.

VILLAGE ORDINANCES.

ORDINANCE No. 5.

Be it ordained by the Village Board of Chaska.

SEC. 1. That the regular monthly meeting of the Village Board of the Village of Chaska be and are hereby fixed upon the first Wednesday of each and every month until otherwise ordered to meet at the store of Messrs. Franken & Staken at the hour of 7½ o'clock p. m. of said days.

Approved, May 28th 1873.

F. E. DU TOIT, President Board of Trustees.

Attest: J. FRANKEN, Clerk.

ORDINANCE No. 6.

Be it ordained by the Village Board of Chaska.

SEC. 1. Any disorderly or intoxicated person found in any street, alley, square, saloon, or other public place in this Village, shall be arrested and confined in Jail until he shall become orderly or sober, not exceedidg twenty four hours.

SEC. 2. The Marshall of the Village hereby empowered, and it is hereby made his duty, to arrest any disorderly or intoxicated person found in any street, alley, square, saloon, or other public place in this Village, without warrant and confine him in jail, there to be kept until he shall become orderly or sober, not exceeding twenty four hours.

SEC. 3. Such disorderly person shall be arraigned before the Village Justice at the earliest moment practicable after such arrest, and if found guilty of being disorderly or intoxicated as aforesaid, shall be fined not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, for the benefit of the Village.

SECT. 4. The trial of any offender under this Ordinance shall be conducted the same as criminal cases in Justices Court, under our annual statutes of this State, except as herein provided.

App oved, May 28th 1873.

F E. DU TOIT, President Board of Trustees

Attest, J FRANKEN, Clerk.

VILLAGE ORDINANCE No. 7.

SEC. 1. All persons are hereby forbidden prohibited and restricted from selling giving or dealing in spirituous vinous malt or fermented liquors within this Village unless duly licensed by the Village Board of Trustees of said Village

SEC. 2. Any person desiring a licence under this Ordinance must file their application therefore with the Village Clerk of said Village on or before the 1st day of July A. D. 1873, and pay the said Clerk for the use of the Village the sum of twenty five dollars for a license for one year.

SECT. 3. Whoever sells, barters, gives or deals in spirituous, vinous, malt or fermented liquors, within the limits of said Village, without first having obtained a license therefore agreeable to the provisions of this Ordinance or disposes of any spirituous, vinous, malt or fermented liquors, under any protext, or in any manner, from which an intention to evade this ordinance appears, shall be fined not less than twenty five nor more than one hundred dollars for each offence.

SECT. 4. All persons engaged in the various business hereafter mentioned shall pay an annual license as follows, viz:

Proprietors of General stores,	25 00
Attorney at Law (each member)	5 00
Harness makers,	5,00
Publishers,	5,00
Proprietors of meat markets,	5,00
Proprietors of Millinery Stores,	5,00
Circus per day,	15,00
Traveling Troupes (each entertainment,)	2,00
Owners of Steam Flouring mills,	10,00
Peddlers, per year,	10,00
Auctioneers license unless residents of this County,	5,00
Proprietors of Livery Stables.	5,00

Any person who shall hereafter establish or carry on any business within the limits of said Village for which a license is required by the provisions of this section without having first obtained a license, therefore shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in a sum not exceeding thirty dollars nor less than five dollars for each and every offence.

SECT. 5. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force on and after this 4th day of June A D. 1873. Approved.

Attest, J. FRANKEN, Clerk.

F. E. DU TOIT, President Bord of Trustees.

JOE. FRANKEN. JOS. STAKEN.

FRANKEN & CO.

New Drug

STORE.

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Have just opened a new Drug and offer for sale a complete stock of

DRUGS & MEDICINES.

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THE NEWS.

At Home.

Six hundred packages of goods from the wreck of the steamer City of Washington, have drifted to sea.

Suit has been commenced in the United States District Court against Duden, Freres & Co., late importers of New York, for one hundred and two thousand dollars penalties for alleged irregularities in importing goods, involving frauds on the revenue laws.

Jacob Hoffman and William Eberhardt, who were so badly burned during the fire at Ebeling's brewery, Morrissiana, last Tuesday, died on Saturday.

George Hazenfeldt, while killing fish near Jackson, California, with giant powder, had a cartridge explode in his hand, blowing him to pieces. One arm and a portion of the body have not been found.

A fire in Greenbush, Rensallaer county, N. Y., opposite Albany, Sunday evening, destroyed twenty-four dwellings, located on Broadway, Columbia and Academy streets; also Collender's lumber yards and Reno's and Traver's coal yards. Loss estimated between $150,000 and $200,000; insurance small. A boy named Brady was burned to death.

A young man named Gill suicided with arsenic, at Middleport, Licking county, Ohio, Saturday, to prevent his wife from obtaining a divorce.

At New Orleans, while the Phœnix fire companies were trying their new steamer, the brass nozzle of the hose flew off, striking John Doyle, who was holding the pipe, killing him instantly.

A boy six years old, while carrying a bottle of whisky to the hands in the harvest field, near Simsonia, Ky., drank freely of the liquor on the way, and died in a few hours.

Three men working on a scaffold at the west pier of the bridge at St. Louis, fell into the river Saturday evening, and one of them John Platt, of Ohio, was drowned. The other two swam ashore.

The deaths in St Louis the past week were 241, the same number as last week. Of this number 67 are reported as cholera murbus and 43 as cholera infantum and summer complaint; 139 children under five years are included in the list.

A young lady named Amelia Lang, of Grove land, was burned to death at Austin Corners, Mich., Wednesday night, when asleep in the house of Mr. John Lowry, which accidentally caught fire and was consumed.

Five cholera deaths in Cincinnati Friday.

At Memphis, J. C. Silward, while intoxicated, fell from a window Thursday, and broke his neck. He leaves a family in Oxford, Michigan.

The troubles in Pope county, Arkansas, have broken out afresh.

A terrible accident happened on Wednesday night in Allamakee county, Iowa, at a place called Columbus Ridge. Mrs. Hjort, wife of pastor Hjort, of the Norwegian Church in that place, was burned to death by the ignition of some alcohol, with which she was cleaning clothes near a fire. Seven small children are left alone and motherless, her husband and eldest child being in Norway.

The trotter Charles E. Low, formerly Patchen Chief, died in New York on Thursday night. His owner had just been offered fifteen thousand dollars for him.

It is thought that the greater portion of the cargo of the City of Washington will be recovered, though in a damaged condition.

The Attorney General has decided that the fifteen per cent. increase of compensation of employes of the Senate and House of Representatives, as provided for by the act of March 3, 1873, applies only to employes during the Forty-second Congress, and does not apply to those persons whose employment in that capacity commenced after the 4th of March, 1873.

The Peoria and Rock Island Railroad has raised the grain blockade, which has existed since June 30, in consequence of the Illinois railway law. This company is now carrying grain from Davenport, Iowa, to eastern cities at the same rates as existed before July 1.

A marriage has finally been arranged between the Duke of Edinburgh and the Grand Duchess Maria Alexandriana, only daughter of the Emperor of Russia. The Duke thus foregoes the right of succession to the Duchy of Saxe Coburg, which fact involves important political considerations.

Albert Sanders, a negro, was executed at Prince Frederick, Md., Friday, for the murder of E. A. Burdell, last December.

Thomas Jackson, a negro was hanged at Leonardstown, Md., Friday for the murder of Postmaster Scofield, in April last.

A Havana letter states that two entire Spanish regiments are in revolt against the Captain General. Several Spanish camps in Puerto Principi have been withdrawn, and the forts in the northern section of the Island are being abandoned by the Spaniards.

Three men named Joshua A. Judy, Thos. Platt and Ned Kendall, were crushed to death by the fall of a piece of slate in the mine of Parker, Russell & Co., near St. Louis, on Friday.

A letter from Sulphur Springs, Jefferson county, Tenn., to the Commissioner of Pensions, states that the cholera is prevailing at Greenville to such an extent that, out of a population of twelve hundred, all but twelve families have deserted the place in a panic. Greenville is the residence of Andy Johnson.

The Mint at Philadelphia is now engaged in re-melting vast quantities of light gold coins. Since January 1 some $23,000,000 worth have been melted, and $10,000,000 more will be received and re-coined this week. Orders for new trade dollars will be filled in the early part of next week. Over $1,000,000 in gold were received from New York, Thursday, for re-coinage.

The Bureau of Agriculture has given orders for the purchase of four hundred bushels of Chilian wheat, and the same quantity of French wheat, for the purpose of meeting requests from various parts of the country. The demand for seeds has latterly been so great that the treasury of the institution is exhausted. By the first of next month, however, it is expected the Bureau will be able to meet all requests for wheat, but supplies of other cereals will not be furnished till September.

The loss of the schooner Memento off the coast of Nova Scotia, with all hands, is announced.

Michael Desmond shot himself and then his wife, in Boston, on Tuesday.

A tornado passed over Evansville, Indiana, Monday night, blowing down trees, unroofing buildings, levelling crops, etc.

A hurricane passed over Odin, Ill., Monday night, unroofing houses. A tin roof deposited on the railroad was moved by the assistance of a locomotive. The Protestant Methodist Church was wrecked. The Methodist Church and engine house at Salem were wrecked. Orchards, miles of fences, and thousands of acres of grain were blown down.

The prevalence of the cholera in Venice is officially announced. Bulletins of the progress of the disease will be issued daily by the sanitary officers.

A London telegram states that the Bank of England forgers will be tried in August.

The Shah of Persia, before leaving London, made presents, including eight thousand dollars, to the servants of Buckingham Palace, and twelve thousand dollars to policemen stationed in London.

A fire at Strathroy, Canada, destroyed a block of buildings valued at $50,000.

During a row at Pinche, Cal., Sunday afternoon, a man named Harrington shot and wounded Messrs. Lynch, O'Neal, Frank Schoemaker and Sullivan.

Dr. Fontaine, of Spencer, Mass, has been indicted for causing the death of a child by using small-pox virus for vaccination.

Vice-President Wilson's health is seriously impaired.

Two fatal cases of cholera were reported in Jersey City, and two more in Brooklyn, Monday evening.

Chicago has 5,586,911 bushels of grain in store.

Barnabus M. Roberts, collector of Belfast, Maine, was on Tuesday arrested by the United States Marshal, on a warrant for violation of revenue laws, by engaging in trade. He will be examined before Commissioner Clifford, at Portland.

A locomotive off the track at Pittsburgh, brought down the roof of the round house by plunging into and knocking out the main support, on Sunday.

While a family named Little, at Winchester, Va., were at breakfast on Saturday, a feud broke out, when two sons, named Oscar and Lyegue, commenced firing at four other sons and their mother, the firing being returned by the other sons. Oscar was wounded, captured and sent to jail. Another son, named Clinton, was wounded; also the mother. Clinton died Saturday evening, and the mother will die.

At Carmi, Ill., on Friday last, a son of Mr. Upton, while driving a reaper, was killed by lightning, as also were his two horses. A terrible storm visited that place on Monday last, demolishing the corn. Several horses were killed by lightning.

Baum's produce and shipping warehouse, Graves' planing mill and two small buildings adjoining, were burned by an incendiary fire at Norfolk, Va., Thursday. Loss $50,000; partly insured.

Louis Jackezinier and wife were drowned by the capsizing of their boat while sailing on the lower bay, in New York, on Sunday. Three others who were accompanying them, were rescued.

John Wilson fatally shot David Brown in Philadelphia, Tuesday morning—both colored. Wilson escaped. Jealousy was the cause.

A small sloop was found in the bay at Boston, Monday, and when being righted a body became disengaged from the rigging and sunk. It is supposed that three others were drowned when the sloop capsized.

Andy Stewart and Tom Anderson had a fight in Washington, Monday night. Friends of the latter interfered, and were between Anderson and Stewart when he drew a revolver and fired, killing William Taylor. All colored.

Alex. Dingwell, Jr., a fireman on the Detroit and Milwaukee Railway, was knocked off his engine, Friday, and killed.

Deaths in New York, last week, 630; increase, 156 over the previous week.

Advices are received of the destraction by fire, Sunday, of the business portion of the village of Frog Level, in Newberry county, S. C. Loss $60,000; insurance very small.

Cholera is disappearing at Nashville, and breaking out in Chattanooga, 15 deaths being reported in forty-eight hours. Cincinnati had seven deaths from cholera Monday, and Memphis only three.

A French woman and child in Dudley, Mass., were so badly burned by an explosion of kerosene oil, Saturday night, that both died, and another child cannot recover.

William B. Lincoln, of Dedham, Mass., while walking with his wife Sunday evening, near that village, was shot by some unknown person, one ball entering his left side, just below the heart, and the other at the knee. The wounds are dangerous. No clue to the assassin.

A dispatch from Col. Stanley's Yellowstone Expedition, dated camp 70 miles west of Bismarck, June 30th, states that the health of the whole Commission was good. The Indians were offering no serious resistance to the location of the railroad through their hunting-grounds. An abundance of coal of good quality was found twenty-seven miles west of the Missouri River on the surveyed line of the road, and the country thus far traversed by the expeditionary force is an excellent one, well grassed and watered.

Onto canals have suffered damage to the extent of $500,000 by the recent storms.

Abroad.

A tumultuous scene occurred in the French Assembly, on Sunday, and the President was compelled to suspend the sitting.

Shocks of earthquake were felt in Rome and other Italian cities on Saturday.

Advices from Khiva state that the Khan voluntarily entered the Russian camp, and gave in his submission, formally declaring himself a vassal of Russia. General Kaufmann then restored him to the throne, and appointed a council of administration to assist him in the government during the occupation of the Khanite by the Russian forces. The Khan, in token of gratitude, issued, on the 24th of June, a decree forever abolishing slavery in his dominion. General Kaufmann has sent a dispatch to Teheren, notifying the Persian Government to make preparations for the reception of ten thousand natives of Persia, released from slavery by the Khan's decree.

The custom authorities of Lisbon have fined the captain of the ship Murrillo, which ran into and sunk the emigrant ship Northfleet, in the English channel 200,000 reis, for failing to go to Lisbon, when he had a cargo for that port.

The number of foreign visitors to the Vienna Exposition is increasing daily, a great majority from New England. The juries are now hard at work, and it is generally thought that a considerable number of prizes will be awarded the American exhibitors. A severe rain storm passed over the city on Friday, considerably damaging the goods in the United States department of the exhibition, and ruining silks in the French section.

News has been received from Honduras that the filibustering steamer General Sherman had landed her revolutionary party, headed by E. Palicias, at Utella, Honduras. The government of Honduras has been overthrown by them, and a new one installed. Pallicias and followers were marching on Guatemala, and if they succeed in entering that territory in two or three days' march, they are almost certain to overthrow the existing government of President Banias, and re-establish the Jesuit or church party.

Hon. T. Thorington, lately appointed U. Consul to Aspinwall, on applying to Bogota for the usual exequatur, was refused, on the ground that the government of Columbia recognized no such place as Aspinwall; only that of Colon. Secretary Fish, upon being informed of the refusal, appointed Thorington commercial agent at Aspinwall, with the powers of a consul, requiring no exequatur.

A Sad Situation.

A short time since, a gentleman with long, fair whiskers, and dressed in the height of fashion, entered a hosier's in Vienna, and requested the shopwoman, who happened to be alone, to show him some colored shirts. Every variety was brought out, when he made his choice, and requested that a parcel might be made up for him. This being done, "What an idiot I am!" he said. "I have not seen how the shirts look when on. Would you oblige me, mademoiselle, by putting on one over your dress?" The shopwoman having complied with his request, "be so good," he continued, "as to button the color and waistbands, that I may get a thoroughly good idea of the effect. And now, he added, taking up his parcel, "allow me to wish you a very good morning?" and in an instant he was outside the door, and had disappeared, the unhappy girl apparently stupefied, not daring to follow him into the street, on account of her singular costume.

To the Snails.

Ye little snails,
With slippery tails,
With noiseless travel
Along this gravel,
By a silvery path of slime unsightly,
I learn that you visit my pea-rows nightly.
Felonious your visit, I guess!
And I give you this warning,
That, every morning,
I'll strictly examine the pods;
And if one I hit on
With slaver or spit on,
Your next meal will be with the gods

I own you're a very ancient race,
And Greece and Babylon were amid;
You have tenanted many a royal dome,
And dwelt in the oldest pyramid;
The source of the Nile!—oh! ye have been there!
In the Ark was your floodless bed;
On the moonless night of Marathon
You crawled o'er the mighty dead;
But still, though I reverence your ancestries,
I don't see why you should nibble my peas.

The meadows are yours—the hedge-rows and brook,
You may bathe in their dews at morn;
By the aged sea you may sound your shells,
On the mountain erect your horn.
The fruits and flowers are your rightful dowers,
Then why—in the name of wonder—
Should my six pea-rows be the only cause
To excite your midnight plunder?

I have never disturbed your slender shells;
You have hung round my aged walk;
And each might have sat, till he died in his fat,
Beneath his own cabbage-stalk:
But now you must fly from the soil of your sires,
Then put on your liveliest crawl;
And think on your dear little snails at home,
Now orphans or emigrants all.
Utensils domestic, and civil, and social,
I give you an evening to pack up:
But if the moon of this night does not rise on your flight,
To-morrow I'll hang each man Jack up.
You'll think of my peas and your thievish tricks
With tears of slime, when crossing the Styx.

POSTSCRIPT.

If darkness should not let thee read this,
Furtive Snail,
Go ask thy friend, the Glow-worm,
For his tail.

THE STORY OF LAST ISLAND.

Lippincott's Magazine for July tells this realistic tale of the South: Nine days after a storm in the Gulf of Mexico, a traveler, finding his way to the salt-pans of Western Louisiana, took a little fishing-craft. There was that fresh purity in the air and sea which follows the bursting of the elements. The numerous "bays" and keys that indent the shore looked fresher and brighter, and there was that repentant beauty in nature which aims to sooth us into forgetfulness of its recent angry passions. The white-winged sea birds flew about, and tall water-fowl stoop silently over their shadows, like a picture above and below. The water sparkled with salt freshness, and the roving winds sat on the shoulder of the sail, resting and riding to port.

The little bark slipped along the shores and shallows, and in and out by key and inlet, seeing its shadow on the pure white sand that seemed so near its keel. The last vistage of the storm was past, and the little Gulf-world seemed fresher and gladder of it. The tropical green grasses and water-plants hung their long, linear, hair-like sheaths in graceful curves, and patches of willow palm and palmetto, in many an intricate curve and involution, made a labyrinth of verdure. The wild loveliness of the ships and channels, where never a boat seemed to have sailed since the Indian's water-logged canoe was tossed on the shallow banks, was enhanced by the vision of distant ships, with their sails even with the water, or broken by the white buildings of a sleepy plantation in its bower of fig and olive, and tall moss-clustered pines.

Suddenly the traveler fancied he heard a cry, but the fishermen said no, it was the scream of a water fowl or the shrill call of an eagle far above dropping down from the blue zenith: and they sailed on. Again he heard the distant cry, and was told of the panther in the bush and the wild birds that drummed and called with almost human intonation: and they sailed on again. But again the mysterious troubled cry arose from the labyrinth of green, and the traveller intreated them to go in quest of it. The fishers had their freight for market—delay would deteriorate its value; but the anxious traveller bade them put about and be would bear the loss.

It was well they did. There, in the dense coverts of the sea swamps, they found a man and woman, ragged, torn, starved. For nine days they had had no food but the soft pith or the palmetto, coarse muscles, or scant poisonous berries, their bed the damp morass, and their drink the brackish water; and they told the wild and terrible story of Last Island.

Last Island was the Saratoga and Long Branch of the South. The Southernmost watering place in the Gulf. Situated on a fertile coral Island enriched by innumable flocks of wild fowl, art had brought its wealth of fruit and flowers to perfection. The coccoanut-palm, the date, palm, and orange orchards contrasted their rich foliage in the sunshine with the pine apple, banana, and the rich soft surf of the mosquitgrass. The air was fragrant with magnoli and orange bloom, the gardens glittering with the burning beauty of tropical flowers jessamine thickets, and voluptuous grape arbors, the golden wine-like sun pouring intoxcating balm over it, graceful white cottages festooned with vines, with curving chalet or Chinese roots colored red, pinnacled arbors and shadowy retreats of espaliers pretty as a coral grove; and a fair shining hotel in the midst, with arcades and porches and galeries—the very dream of ease and luxury, as delicate and trim as if made out of cut paper in many forms of prettiness. Here was the nabob's retreat; in this balmy garden of delight all that luxury, art, and voluptuous desire could hint or hope for was collected; and nothing harsh or poor or rugged jarred the fullness of its luxurious ease.

Ten nights before, its fragrant atmosphere was broken into beautiful ripples by the clang and harmony of dancing music. It was the night of the "hop." The hotel was crowded. Yachts and pleasure vessels, pretty as the petals of a flower tossed on the water, or as graceful shells, banked the shores; and the steamer at twilight came breathing short, excited breaths, with the last relay, for it was the last of the summer season. In their light, airy dresses as the music swam and sung, bright-eyed girls floated in graceful waltzes down the voluptious waves of sound, and the gleam of light and color was like the butterflies' ball. The queenly, luscious night sank deeper, and lovers strolled in lamp-lighted arcades, and dreamed and hoped of life like that, the fairy existence of love and peace; and so, till tired of play, sleep and rest came in the small hours.

Hush! All at once came the storm not, as in the Northern latitudes, with premonitory murmur and fretting, lashing itself by slow degrees into white heat and rain, but the storm of the tropics carrying the sea on its broad, angry shoulders, till, reaching the verduous, love-clustered little isle, it flung the bulk of waters with all its huge, brawnyforce right upon the cut-paper prettiness, and broke them into sand and splinters. Of all those pretty children with blue and opalescent eyes, arrayed like flowers of the field; of all those lovers dreaming of love in summer dalliance, and of cottages among figs and olives; of all the vigerous manhood and ripe womanhood, with all the skill and courage of success in them—not a tithe was saved The ghastly maw of the waters covered them and swallowed them. A few sprang, among crashing timbers, on a floor laden with impetuous water—The many, perhaps never waked at all, or woke to but one short prayer. The few who were saved—the many who died never knew how they were slain or drowned.

It has twice been my fortune in life to see such a storm, and to know its sudden destruction: once, to see a low, broad, shelving farmhouse disappear in the ground before my eyes, as if its substance had vanished into air, while great globes of electric fire burst down and sunk into the ground; once, to see a pine forest of centuries' growth cut down as grass by the mowers scythe. I do not think it possible to see a third and survive, and I do not wish my soul to be whirled away in the vortex of such a storm.

At noon or later, after the ruin of Last Island, a gentleman of a name renowned in Southwestern story found himself clinging to a bush in the wild waters, lashed by the long whips of branches, half dead with fatigue and fear. For a time the hurly-burly blinded and hid everything, and the long roll rocked and tore at him in desperate endeavor to wrench loose his bleeding fingers. The impulse of the wind and storm at such a time is as of a solid body, and there is a look of solidity in the very appearance of the magnificent force. But as it abated he thought he heard a faint cry, and looking around, he saw a poor girl in her night-dress, clinging to a branch, and slipping from her feeble hold. Tired as he was, and wild and dangerous as the attempt might be, he did not dare to leave her to perish. Choosing his time in a lull, he struck out to the bush, and reached it just as her ebbing strength gave way. He took her in his sturdy arms, and, clinging with tooth and nail, stayed them both to their strange anchorage. Faint, half-conscious, disrobed as she was, in the sweet, delicate features. the curve of the lip, and the raven tresses clothed in sea-weed, he recognized tee Creole belle of last night's hop. He cheered and encouraged her, pointing out that the storm was abating—had abated. It could not be long before search-boats came, and while he had strength to live she should share it. It proved true. Generous and hardy fishers and ships had come up at once to the scene of disaster, and were busy picking up the few spared by wind and wave. They found the two clinging together and to that slight bush, and took them off wrapping them in ready, tough, fishermen's coats. The reader can see the end of the story. A meeting so appointed had its predestinated end in a love match. So we leave it and them; the rest of their lives belongs to them, not to us.

The pair found by our fishing-smack were a wealthy planter and his wife. For nine days of starvation and danger they had clung together. When I think of the husband's manly care in thus abiding by his wife, I find it hard to reconcile it with the fact that he only valued his life and hers at a few dollars—not enough to compensate the traveler for the loss incurred as demurrage to the fishermen.

Now Lost Island is but a low sandy reef, on which a few straggling fruit trees try to keep the remembrance of its bygone beauty. It is as bare and desolate as the bones of those who filled its halls in the cataclysm of that dreadful night—bones which now waste to whiteness on sterile shores or are wrought into coral in the under-sea.

Indians as Israelites.

A correspondent of the Phrenological Journal, writing from the South, gives the following statement:

"Among the points of resemblance which seem to give plausibility to the theory that the American Indians are descendants of a remnant of the lost tribes of Israel, is a custom of theirs agreeing in its main features with one described in the book of Leviticus. According to the Indian usage, the nearest of kin had a right to slay the murderer wherever he found him, during the interval that elapsed from the time the deed was done till the Green Corn Festival; but if the murderer eluded his pursuers up to that time, and then effected an entrance into the sacred circle of the dancers, he was safe from the Avenger of Blood. This Avenger had it also in his power to grant the murderer a respite. An old white settler who lived in this country before the Indians left, tells a story of one who thus, respited for a fortnight, at the end of which time he was to meet the Avenger of Blood at a designated spot, to be put to death. Every day during the interval the doomed man approached the rendezvous and sang his death song, recapitulating his deeds of prowess and his immortality of glory At nine o'clock on a fair spring morning of the appointed day the victim and executioner appeared under the shining green leaves of the beech, in the heart of the dewy forest glade. The white hunter had concealed himself near, and looked on eagerly, half expecting to see the victim sue for mercy, or the stern executioner relent from his purpose; but no! the first placed himself at the right distance, crossed his arms on his breast and looked calmly into the face of the Avenger, who, cooly taking aim, shot him through the heart!"

A Campaign Sermon.

As illustrative of the temper of the American pulpit of Mr. Jefferson's day, Mr. Parton tells this story of Dr. John Mason, who was then the sensational preacher of New York: An interesting character was this Dr. Mason, if we may believe the anecdotes still told of him by old inhabitants of New York. What a scene must that have been when he paused, in the midst of one of his rousing Fast Day sermons, and, raising his eyes and hands to heaven, burst into impassioned supplication, "Send us, if Thou wilt, murrain upon our cattle, a famine upon our land, cleanness of teeth in our borders; send us pestilence to waste our cities; send us, if it please Thee, the sword to bathe itself in the blood of our sons; but spare us, Lord God Most Merciful, spare us that curse—most dreadful of all curses—an alliance with Napoleon Bonaparte." An eye witness reports that as the preacher uttered these words, with all the energy of frantic apprehension, the blood gushed from his nostrils. He put his handkerchief to his face without knowing what he did, and, instantly resuming his gesture, held the bloody handkerchief aloft, as if it were the symbol of the horrors he foretold. To such a point, in those simple old days, could campaign falsehood madden able and good men!

Gen. MacKenzie is about the best wounded man in the army. He has had a bullet through his lungs, which has greatly diminished his conversational powers; he has lost the use of his fingers; he has been perforated by an Indian arrow and a large assortment of bullets received during the rebellion.

KHIVAN CAPTIVES.

The Story of a Russian who was Captured, Enslaved, and Released—The Khan.

The following extract from a letter to the New York Herald details an interview with a released Russian:

In 1869, in the early spring, we were at Ak-Djulpas, a post station on the Aral Sea, north of fort No. 1, in order to furnish the beef to the soldiers. A small post had been established near there, and my father and (after his death) I had a contract to supply all the garrisons of the posts in this district with beef. At this time there was a great deal of dissatisfaction among the Kigheezes, for the government was establishing some new regulations, and among other things made the taxes three roubles on a *kibitka*, instead of one rouble and a half, as it was before. These Kirgheezes had been worked on by men sent up from Khiva, and were very discontented, and when finally they rebelled against our government they asked for aid from the Khan. The Khan sent word that he would send them an army, but that first they must deliver up all the Russians who were in the country. Somebody gave information that we were at AkDjulpas, and the Kirgheez chief was ordered to bring us to Khiva. We had been there about three weeks, for we dared not go farther south, and we were trading in small wares with the Kirgheezes. Besides myself and this young fellow, Zotoff, there was another man who was sent back to Russia a year ago. Well, the Kirgheezes came on us in a great number and took us The two Cossacks who were at the station ran away and got off, but afterward Colonel Rakim was killed there. We were put on horseback and had to travel night and day for four or five days to Khiva, around the west end of the Aral Sea. The Kirgheezes treated us well enough, as they wanted to bring us in alive; but we had very little water and were almost starved. We were all worn out with riding so far. When we got there we were put up for sale, and many people came and looked at us, and felt of us to see if we were strong. Finally, the Khan himself sent and bought us for 250 tillas apiece, or about 500 roubles. We were then sent to one of the summer palaces of the Khan, and set to work in the gardens. There we found several other Russians; some as gardeners and others carpenters, and doing what they were best fit for. At the beginning, they shaved our heads and cut off our mustaches, and wanted to force us to become Mohammedans. But, finally, the Khan said that we ought to do as we chose, and need not be forced, so that after that we were left in peace.

The Khan himself is a young man, 26 years old, very mild and good natured, but he is very weak, and controlled by an Afghan, who makes him do very bad things. The government is very bad and despotic, and if the Khan had his own way he would have released us long ago. He often used to walk in the garden, and sometimes talked to us pleasantly. He does almost nothing, and rarely goes hunting, but amuses himself with his wives and dancing boys. We were not very badly treated, except at first, and often went into the city and to the bazar. We had the same food as the Persian slaves, and in general lived much as they did. I should think there were 25,000 Persian slaves there. We dressed like the rest of the people, and no one ever troubled us when we went out. Of course if we had tried to run away we would have been hung at once. But if we could manage to save money it was possible to buy ourselves; that is, we must buy another slave to take our place, and then we could be free, but we never could leave the country. There were some Russians there who had been there a long time. Some had become Mohammedans and had married several wives, and there was one old Russian who had been taken on Peroffsky's expedition. Many of these Russians had entirely forgotten how to talk Russian. They only remembered their prayers, and they said them much better than we could. The laws are very strict in Khiva, and every day somebody is hanged or has his head cut off. If one man complains against his debtor, and the debt is proved, the man is hanged if he denies it; but if it is not proved, and the man does not confess when tortured, then the creditor is hanged. When a man is found with a woman both are executed.

We always were in hopes of being released, and when we heard of the advance of the Russians we thought that now our time was come. When the Khan knew that the Russians were sending an army against him he wanted to give in at once, but the Divan-Begees would not let him. They first sent one embassy to Constantinople and then one to India. Really it is to the English that we owe our release, and we are very grateful to them. The Queen of England said to the Khivan Ambassador, "Tell your Khan that he is himself to blame, and that I cannot help him. Let him first release the Russian prisoners and then the 30,000 Persian slaves he has, and then perhaps I can do something. But he must do this first." (I have reason to consider this part of Burnasheff's story apocryphal." The embassy came back, and within five days we were all released. The Khan sent to every man a new *khalat*, but we would not believe our good luck till we had reached here. We always thought there was a trick in it. We came up the east side of the Aral Sea, close to the sea, and so did not meet the expedition. We were treated well enough, but for ten days had no water but melted snow. We were thirty days on the road.

Khiva is a very poor country, and fruit and even grain is brought from Bokhara. Twice, when the harvests were bad, the prices were very high, and many people died. The city is very dirty and unpleasant. All the houses are small and of mud, and the streets are very narrow. The Russian army will take the city at once. The walls are only of mud, and very thin; you can dig holes in them with your hand. There are a few old cannon, but very bad, and the Khivans do not know how to use them. Not long ago they filled one full of powder, and it burst and killed twenty-five men. They are not on the walls, but in front of the Khan's palace. There is no regular army, but people are hired by the month at ten tillahs apiece. Some have swords, some axes or spears, and some matchlocks. They will run away at once.

Ravages of the Cholera.

Nashville, Tenn. (July 7) Correspondence of the Louisville Courier-Journal.

In Richtown and New Bethel, one mile south of Nashville, the mortality has been 200 out of a population of some 1,000, all the fatal cases being negroes, with only three exceptions. This heavy mortality may and can be attributed only to the indulgence in vegetable diet and drinking. Where parties have lived prudently there has not been a single case of cholera.

LOBSTER FARMING.

A Novel Experiment.

The Boston Journal of Commerce gives the following interesting account of a lobster farm on the Massachusetts coast. It is certainly the newest attempt at bringing the production of animal food under man's control:

The attempt to cultivate oysters for the market was begun about a year ago; and though no very great results have yet been obtained, the experiment presents every indication of ultimate success. A space of some thirty acres of flats have been enclosed by an embankment, the proprietor of the place conceived the plan of hiring the use of the enclosed water for a lobster pond. The place was originally an arm of the sea, and had a deep channel in the centre, so that sufficient depth of water was secured. On building the dyke an arched way was made in it, so that the tide could flow in and out at all times. The opening being small, the tide only raises and falls about three feet inside. This keeps the inside water deep at all times, and at the same time prevents it from becoming foul.

During July and August, last summer, 40,000 lobsters, of every age and condition, were let loose in the pond. Many of them were in the soft-shell state, and many were unsalable on account of a lost claw or other mutilation. Food, in the shape of refuse from fish markets, was freely supplied them; and a gate was put up at the entrance to prevent their escape into the sea. Nothing in particular happened for several months; and the enterprising owner arranged nets for eels and other fish, which he caught in the pond in large quantities during the fall and winter.

When the ice had covered the pond, holes were cut and the lobster traps were put down. Good, sizeable, hard-shell lobsters were at once caught, and two things were proved; first, the water was deep and pure enough to keep the fish alive; and secondly, the fish were healthy for they had taken their hardened shells in the usual manner, and new claws had grown in the place of those lost. In the spring, eels, perch, and a great many other kinds of fish were taken from the pond in liberal quantities, and now that the spawning season is well advanced, the farm had reached its final and most critical stage. Some 15,000 good, marketable lobsters have been taken out and sold. Every one was a male fish, as the female fish were all returned to the water for breeding purposes. The spawn is now on its last stage, and in a few weeks, if all goes well, some millions of young lobsters will swarm in the pond. The eggs are already so far advanced that the young fry can be seen through the transparent shells, and only one thing will prevent them from coming to maturity. The question is, can the young lobsters defend themselves from the fish in the pond? It is impossible to keep other fish out, and the lobsters must take their chances. Everything is favorable so far. The bottom is stony and gravelly. There are plenty of hiding places, such as the young fish seek to hide in, and the water is always deep and fresh.

The proprietor is a keen, far-sighted man, well educated, and thoroughly in love with his business. He has entire confidence in the success of his venture, and will make it succeed if anybody can. From a personal inspection of the lobster farm, we are inclined to think the project destined to prove a financial success. The fish already sold are of excellent quality, and have won a good name in the market. The number of lobsters that can live in the pond is practically countless. If one-eighth of the fish live, a couple of years will see the place stocked with millions of salable lobsters. The expense is small—the rent, the food (which may be obtained for the asking), and the labor of hatching and preparing for market being the whole of it. The experiment is a very important one. If it succeeds it will introduce an entirely new system of lobster fishing, and do much to prevent the natural supply. Nor is this all, for the same pond can be made to yield perch, flounders, eels, smelts, and other fish in great quantities at no additional expense.

Puppets as Satirical Studies.

An entertainment which has been exceedingly popular in aristocratic circles in Paris during the past year, but which, of course, could not be exhibited in public, is described by the Paris correspondent of the London News. The reason it cannot be exhibited openly is the same as that which led to the suppression of "Happy Land" in its original; but "partly on this very account," says the writer, "Les Pupazzi de M. Lemercier de Neuville has won in private a *succes fou*. The *pupazzi* are simply dolls, which represent with marvellous fidelity the outward appearance of the most prominent men in France. The faces indeed, are finished with the most elaborate care, and the likenesses are so striking that anybody who once sees the *pupazzi* has no difficulty, when he afterwards visits the Assembly, in immediately recognizing all the originals of the dolls at which he has laughed at so heartily. The peculiar gestures of all the speakers are imitated to perfection, and the arguments they are made to deliver in the course of a *seance d'Assemblee* are clever and witty parodies of their various styles. MM. Jules Favre, Gambetta, Emile de Girardin, Victor Hugo and Barodet are among the worthies in the parliatiary gallery, and M. Thiers figured there until his fall, when M. Lemercier de Neuville had the delicate discretion to withdraw all allusion to the ex-President. One of the oddest things about this laughable scene is the violoncello solo played by the inventor of Opera Bouffe in order to restore harmony to the meeting at the invitation of the President. The famous author of 'Orphee aux Enfers' is imitated to the life, and the effect is so droll as to make a room full of people roar with laughter at the gestures of diminutive violincellist. The troupe of puppets actually perform original comedies written expressly, and the scenic arrangements of the little theatre are as complete as those of a large opera house. M. Lemercier de Neuville is himself a dramatist who has earned his laurels on the Parisian stage, and has now a piece in preparation at the Theatre Francais. He models his puppets with his own hands, writes his own pieces, and plays all the parts, imitating the voices of the persons represented."

A sea captain, just returned from a long voyage, was told by a commission merchant the sad news that his wife had died. "Wife died!" said the Captain, "well, now, do you know I didn't think she was long-lived. How's freights?"

M. Thiers's photographs are no longer salable in the French capital.

Holiday.

KATE PUTNAM OSGOOD.

The earth is nothing but flowers and grass;
The sky is a light, and the wave its glass:
I will make a part of the shadowless whole,
And be a body without a soul.

I leave the troublesome creature bound
By hopes and fears that hedge it round;
So may I look, for a single day,
To live unhindered the life of May;

To spring into bloom from the clover root
To ... the sap in the young leaf shoot;
To ... my honey, to spread my wing;
To w... or idle with anything.

To slide with the fly on the water's face,
And swim with the fish that follows chase;
To feel myself once more at one
With all the life that is under the sun!

But what is sighing about the spot?
What sound of wind where wind is not?
Poor wretch! pursued by all thy cares,
Hast stolen after me unawares?

Go, get thee back, kind soul, I pray!
Sad or merry another day,
I ask far only these few short hours
To grow in the light like grass and flowers.

But still the poor soul, all undone,
Sighs and shivers beneath the sun!
I can not bear that pitiful pain—
The homeless creature must come again.

Alas! the time when I could lie
As free from thought as the open sky
Is never for me, henceforth, I trow:
Soul, we must comfort each other now!

Harper's Magazine.

Humorous.

"Aquarial fireworks" are announced.

Parson Brownlow still wears the same hat that adorned his classic caput thirteen years ago.

Theodore Hook once said to a man at whose table a publisher got very tipsy: "You appear to have emptied your wine cellar into your bookseller."

Boss Tweed says New York City should not grumble, it only owes $107,-889,000, and can easily make that out of paving and the new Postoffice contracts.

A citizen of Connecticut, recently introduced to a newly married man, congratulated him warmly, and said: "Ah, these Litchfield county girls make clever wives: I've had three of them."

A young man from the country slapped a big copper cent under the nose of the stamp clerk at the Troy postoffice the other day, saying: "I guess I'll take one of them 'eer pastoral cards, Mister!"

Figurative Party—"So long as I am a man, sorr, what does it matter to me whether my great grandfather was an anthropoid ape or not, sorr?" Literal Party—"Haw! wather disagweeable for your gweat gwandmother, wasn't it?"

Hostess (wishing to be polite)—Good evening, Mr. Lovibond! Sorry your wife couldn't come, too! Host (wishing to be politer)—Nobody here is likely—haw—to regret Mrs. Lovibond's absence half so much—haw—as Mr. Lovibond does!

A prison chaplain being required for a Scotch prison, and the choice made, one of the Board said: "Weel, I've no objection to the man, for I understand he has preached a kirk empty already; and if he be as successful in the jail, he'll, maybe, preach it vacant as well."

A Scotch church having bought an automaton organ, there being no organist to be found near, started on the tune of Dundee on Sunday. The clerk being unable to stop it, when it was set agoing, it played that cheerful tune just eighty-seven times before it stopped.

After a bevy of children in Somerville, Tenn., had fooled with a revolver for half an hour without accident, the eldest brother became disgusted at the harmless character of the sport, and arranging his little playmates in a single group, he fired into them, killing one brother, wounding another in the arm, and shooting off his sister's nose.

Chrysostum and other old preachers used to diversify their sermons by tirades against the follies of dress; but that kind of rebuke has not been common in the modern pulpit. Lately, however, a Bangor (Me.) clergyman fell afoul of the Spring bonnets, which, with great felicity of expression, he called "incomprehensible huddles of finery and frivolity."

The ministers came last week to pray for Paul Carroll, of Jamestown, Ky., who is in the last stage of consumption, and having lived a wicked life, sent for them. But when they opened prayer Mrs. Carroll remarked, with tearful eyes, that she couldn't stand it, this dividing up of a family by praying; all the balance of the family had gone to h—l. No man ought to be separated from his kin!

Young Wife—"George, dear, I've had a talk with the servants this morning, and I've agreed to raise their wages. They said everything was so dear now—meat was high, and coals had risen to such a price, and everything—I thought this was reasonable, because I've so often heard you complain of the same thing."—*Punch.*

Old Mr. Franklin, of Cattaraugus County, New York, created a vast deal of excitement the other day by throwing a ploughshare into the river, on account of his wife's incessant scolding. Mr. Franklin, it might be well to add, was attached to the weight by a rope; consequently, Mrs. F. has lost a husband, a ploughshare, and three feet of good rope, just through a chronic propensity to wag her tongue

It is an oddity of Scotch humor that it plays continually around the severest religious faith in the world. Any reader of Dean Ramsay is prepared to believe the story that this notice was lately posted in the vestibule of a kirk in Scotland: "The person who stole Songs of the Sanctuary from pew No. 32 should improve the opportunity of singing them here, as he will have no occasion to sing them hereafter."

Edmund Yates describes Leon Gambetta as he appears in the French Assembly: "Gambetta is a fat, gross man of middle height, with reddish brown complexion and decidedly red nose, with a queer *louche*, or cock-eye, which gives him a half-jovial, half-sinster expression. He wears a curly-brimmed, grease-stained hat, a tortoise shell double eye-glass hanging loose round his neck, shining coat and full trousers, into the pockets of which his hands are thrust up to the wrists."

A young man from Billtown dined a the Frasier House, Oswego, the other day, and as the waiters were taking orders, he heard his next neighbor order "roast beef rare." When his turn came he also said "roast beef rare." In due time it came very rare. Looking at it a moment he said, "Here, waiter, I want mine cooked." The gentleman of color responded, "I thought you said roast beef rare, sah?" "You don't call that rare, do you?" interrogated Billtown. "Yes, sah, dat's roast beef rare, shuah," "Well, if you call that rare, just take it back and rare it over," says the Billtown aristocrat.

"Honor All Men."

Whom shall we honor? Kings on thrones all golden,
With crowns of orient pearls, and Tyrian robe,
Heirs of the might of generations olden,
Stretching their scepter over half the globe?

Whom shall we honor? Statesmen sage and hoary,
Wise to refrain and wiser to reform,
Stirred by no thirst but that of life's true glory,
Bold pilots through the darkness and the storm?

Whom shall we honor? Poets chanting sweetly,
The lays of might that thrill a nation's heart,
High souls that do their master's bidding meetly,
And on the mountain summits roam apart?

Nay, not these only; infants in their weakness,
Slaves in their galleys, prisoners in their cell,
Young girls that shrink and quail in maiden meekness,
Sick, poor, unknowing—honor these as well.

Calm let the voice be, kind as angel's greeting;
Gentle the words, as one who fears to pain;
Reproach with pity, wrath with love still meeting,
Searching flow best thy brother's soul to gain.

So spake true saints of God, and won men's favor,
So lived meek Paul, in pure and blameless guile;
Now with clear joy, and now in accents graver,
Rousing each conscience, winning each to smile.

So, subtly truthful, courteous, calm and gentle,
Drawing all hearts with cords of trust and love,
His true sons guarding with a love parental,
He moved, as bright stars through the darkness move.

So spake our Master, patient, meek and lowly,
To way-worn travelers, Israel's wandering sheep;
He the All-pure, receiving men unholy,
Sharing their joys, and weeping as they weep.

Yea, doubt it not; each soul deserves that honor;
We may count none uncommon or unclean;
She bears th still the King's true stamp upon her;
Marred, half effaced, His likeness still is seen.

Hushed be each word and thought of wrath and scorning;
Turn not away in weariness or pride;
When the light dawns of life's eternal morning,
The poorest, frailest, may be at thy side.

Yes, honor all; but keep thy heart's best loving,
For those true brothers, enlistered of thy God,
On the same pathway, to the same goal moving;
The straight and narrow way our Master trod.

Love with a love that does not fail nor languish;
Enduring, zealous, hoping, helping all;
Quick to console all sorrow, soothe all anguish,
Still burning brightly through the thick night fall.

FARM, AND HOUSEHOLD.

Cultivating the White Ash.

The value of white ash for timber is so well known that it may seem almost superfluous to name it. There is scarcely a farm implement, from a rake-handle up to a reaper or mower, of which the tough white oak does not form a part. But the cultivation of this tree has been, and is still, sadly neglected in regions where good timber for the purposes named is and ever will be needed. The time must soon come when the implements required for agricultural purposes on the far Western prairies will be manufactured there, and good timber must be had, therefore it requires no great stretch of imagination to see that a profitable market will soon exist far away from the present source of supply. The cultivation of such timber is like money put out at compound interest, and a man investing a very small sum at first will soon find himself the possessor of large and constantly increasing capital. The white ash is a tree easily grown from seed, which may be obtained in unlimited quantities and very cheaply. The seedling may be easily transplanted without fear of loss, and they will succeed in any good rich soil. At first the seedlings appear to make slow progress in comparison with cottonwoods and willows, but, When fairly established, their growth is rapid and in every way satisfactory. As soon as the trees are a few inches in diameter the timber is ready for use, and henceforward continues to increase with age. Farmers who are in need, or likely to be, of good timber should not neglect the cultivation of this most valuable tree.

Wooden Vessels or Bees.

Herr Baist advises in feeding bees in winter and spring the use of wooden dishes or troughs instead of tin, wood being a good non-conductor of heat, does not cool so rapidly as tin, and thus cause the death of the bees standing upon it. The sugar water should be given to the bees lukewarm. It is dangerous in spring to remove combs of brood from the hive, because perhaps it will reduce the working bees too much: and it is still more dangerous to give a weak swarm a comb containing more brood than they can protect, as then some of the brood will perish and produce disease. The safest way to aid bees is to furnish them with combs filled with honey, which need no protection, and are always ready to be used.—*American Bee Journal.*

Fistula in Horses.

Sometimes an abscess does not easily discharge its contents, but communicates with the surface by a narrow canal, with walls of a membrane similar to that enclosing the pus, containing besides, in cases of long standing, hard fibrous tissue, and secreting a thin, serous, and often badly-smelling pus. This is a sinus, which, when it becomes constricted at its internal orifice is termed a fistula, such as occurs in poll evil, bad cases of quittor, &c. In ject by means of a small syringe two drachms of tincture of iodine once daily for a few days. Then, and until the fistula is healed, inject daily a small portion of a solution to be half an ounce of the carbolic acid to a pint of soft water, to be shaken before use. Keep the sore clean and the opening from closing too early by placing a small piece of cotton in the mouth of the opening.

Items.

The contents of a cesspool may be rendered comparatively inodorous by frequent additions of plaster; or ground unburned gypsum, or diluted oil of vitriol, or solutions of copperas. Probably the easiest way of using the contents for manure is to throw fine dirt into the vault until a semi-liquid mass is formed, and to scoop this out and deposit it into a quantity of dry soil gathered in readiness for it. The earth absorbs all the liquid and all the gaseous matter, and if kept covered from rain for a few days it will be in excellent condition to spread over meadows or fallows to be prepared for fall crops.

An agricultural writer furnishes the following conundrums for farmers to consider: Farms and farm bands, with the present prices, are poor property, and return a small interest; but, remembering Portland, Chicago and Boston, and remembering that there is not a town of 16,000 inhabitants that may not be swept out of existence in a night, and remembering there is no absolute and everlasting investment but in the soil, is not three per cent. perpetuity better than six or even ten per cent. in the unstable commodities of brick and mortar, bonds and mortgages, insurance policies, and warranty deeds, which warrant nothing at all?

Charcoal for Poultry.

The benefit which fowls derive from eating charcoal is I believe, acknowledged. The method of putting it before them is, however, not well understood. Pounded charcoal is not in the shape in which fowls usually find their food, and consequently is not very enticing to them.

I have found that corn burnt on the cob, and the refuse, which consists almost entirely of the grains reduced to charcoal, and still retaining their perfect shape, placed before them is greedily eaten by them with a marked improvement in their health, as is shown by the brighter color of their combs, and their soon producing a greater average of eggs to the flock than before.—*Cor. Poultry World.*

Squash Bugs.

A correspondent of the Country Gentleman gives a plan by which he avoids all trouble with squash bugs: "Examine the vines every few days. The first bugs to appear will be old ones. They will lay eggs on the underside of the leaves. The old bugs should be killed between your thumb and forefinger. The eggs are laid in groups, are white at first, brown soon after; rather small, round, and polished. When found, remove a piece of the leaf, with eggs attached and burn them. I have raised several hundred pounds of squashes in a season without losing half a dozen vines from this insect. No lime or powder will do. Hand-picking and attention is the only effectual known remedy.

Summer-Pruning the Grape.

Many persons who indulge in the habit of pinching the ends of the new growth beyond the second or third cluster, to induce more perfect ripening, imagine that this results from the arrest of the sap which enters the fruit instead of being expended in making new wood. This misapprehension is due to a misunderstanding of the true theory of the sap in vegetable growth.

In Summer-pruning the vine, we should allow one or two leaves beyond the first cluster of grapes, according to the vigor of the cane, for if the vine be allowed such extension of growth as is natural the shoots are sometimes indefinitely lengthened, and the leaves are correspondingly small. But if properly pruned, the remaining leaves are enlarged and thickened and consequently capable of elaborating a proportionate quantity of sap to be expended exactly where we want it, in the fruit and its connecting shoots.

All that is necessary to observe is the habit of the vine, in order to estimate the amount of pruning necessary; since, if pruned too severely and warm wet weather ensue, enlargement and disease are apt to follow. Above all, do not pluck or mutilate the leaves in juxtaposition to the fruit, for the leaves are the lungs of the plant, and as the leaf surface is destroyed so will the health of the plant and its consequent ability to perform its functions be impaired; but, as before stated, if the pinching back be performed as soon as the shoot has made one and sometimes two leaves beyond the last bunch, those left are correspondingly developed.

For the same reason in rearing a bearing cane, the laterals are pinched to certain proportions to induce the formation of stout, healthy canes.—*The Western Rural.*

Raising Turnips and Beets.

Braesica rapa, the common turnip.—Prime seed and rich land, kept clean and mellow by thorough cultivation, constitute the essential requisites in successful turnip culture. Transplant a few of the best beets and turnips early in the growing season and save the seed. Prepare the soil, drill in or plant by hand. The seed of certain varities of turnips should be planted soon after Indian corn is put in. The seed of other varieties should not be sowed until the middle of Summer in the latitude of New York city and Buffalo. The finest crops of field turnips that we have ever met with were produced from seed sowed about the 1st of August.

In many instances farmers clear the forest from a piece of ground free from grass, burn the surface over about the middle of Summer, sow the seed of some such variety as the "early white flat" or the "early white six weeks" turnip, and "bush it in." If the soil is not deep and mellow, our own practice has been to sow the seed prior to harrowing the ground. When seed is sown broadcast, there is much danger of scattering it too thick. When there are no stumps or roots to obstruct a seed drill, it is always better to sow the seed in rows about thirty inches apart, so that the young plants can be thinned without injury to the crop by the feet of the operator.—*New York Herald.*

Domestic Recipes.

Rice Pudding.—One and one-cups rice, one cup sugar, one egg, four quarts sweet milk, one quarter nutmeg. Bake three hours, and stir often until half done. This pudding is very nice when eaten cold as well as warm.

Boiled Flank—To Eat Cold.—Take a piece of beef flank six or eight inches wide, and as long as you can get it. Sprinkle salt on it, if fresh; prepare stuffing as for fowls, and spread over it; roll up very tight and tie with strings to keep in place, as the heat will curl it. Then tie or sew it up in a cloth, and drop into rapidly boiling water. Cook several hours; the larger the piece the longer it will take. Try with a fork. When done lay between boards and put a weight on it keeping the cloth on it still. When cold it will slice beautifully.

To Make Green Pickles.—A correspondent in the Scientific American replies to the question, "How to make green pickles" as follows: If hard, green, cucumber pickles are wanted, salt down in dry salt, putting a layer of salt in the jar, then a layer of pickles, and so on until full. This will produce pickles as green as they can be made, but it is more costly than making brine. If you have stock to feed the salt to, it will be better than the old process. Of course the above process is not calculated for manufacturers for market,

Steamed Indian Pudding.—Take one teacup sweet milk, half teacup buttermilk, half teacup molasses, two cups Indian meal, one of flour, one of English currants, one teaspoon saleratus, and a little salt; put it in a basin and set it in a steamer over boiling water for two hours; serve with a sauce made of butter and sugar, or sweetened cream.

A thoroughly French story is thus related by a writer from Alsace. He says: "We have found out one very nice way of annoying our oppressors. Very many of the Prussian officers have little white dogs. We catch these little white dogs and color their heads and shoulders red and the hind quarters blue, leaving a white streak in the middle, thus joining the French colors, red, white and blue. Then we let the little dogs go, and get around and hear the Prussians swear. It makes them very angry, indeed."

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Cholera.

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SUMMONS.

State of Minnesota, Dist. Court, Eighth Judicial Dist. County of Carver

Anton Fritz against R. P. Russell.

The State of Minnesota, To the above named defendant:

You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in the above entitled action, which has been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Court, at Chaska in said County, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscribers, at their office in Chaska in the county of Carver in the State of Minnesota within twenty days after the service of this Summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service, and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the Plaintiff in this action will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the said complaint.

Dated July 22d A. D. 1873.

BAXTER & PECK, Plaintiff's Atty's Chaska Minn.

State of Minnesota, County of Carver, In Probate Court. } S. S.

In the matter of the estate of Frederick Elling deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Bertha Elling whereby it appears among other things that Frederick Elling died intestate in said Co., on or about July 3d 1873, leaving real and personal property in said county and that said petitioner is the widow of said deceased, and praying that the said petitioner may be appointed the administratrix of the estate of said deceased. Ordered that the said petitioner give notice to all persons interested in the estate of said deceased to be and appear before the Probate Court at Chaska in said county on the 12th day of August 1873 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of said day to show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted. Ordered further that said petitioner give public notice of the pendency of said petition, and the time and place of hearing the same by publishing this order in the Valley Herald three weeks previous to said day of hearing.

Chaska July, 2d 1873.

J. A. SARGENT, Judge Probate.

Execution Sale.

By virtue of an execution issued out of and under the seal of the Dist. Court of Carver Co. Minnesota upon a judgment therein rendered on the 27th day of March 1872, in an action wherein L. L. Baxter & H. J. Peck parties as Baxter & Peck are plaintiffs and John N Johnson defendant for the sum of $370.85 and costs, in favor of said plaintiffs and against said defendants. I have levied upon the following described land and real estate situate in said Carver Co Minn. viz: the south west quarter of the west half of the west half of the south east quarter of the north east quarter of section twenty six (26) Township 117, Range 26, also the north west quarter and the west half of the west half of the north east quarter of the south east quarter of said section twenty six (26) containing one hundred acres of land more or less, and shall on the 5th day of July 1873 at the front door of the Court House in Chaska at 10 o'clock A. M. in the forenoon sell the above described premises at public auction or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said execution and costs of sale to the highest bidder therefor.

Dated May 21st 1873.

F. BECKLIN, Sheriff of Carver Co. Minn.

State of Minnesota, County of Carver. In Probate Court. } S. S.

In the matter of the estate of Wesley Blackketter Sr. deceased.

Whereas an instrument in writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Wesley Blackketter deceased late of said county has been delivered to this court.

And whereas Spiey Blackketter the widow of said deceased, has filed therewith her petition representing among other things that said deceased was a resident of said county at the time of his death, and praying that said instrument may be admitted to Probate, and that letters testamentary be issued to Ernest Hainlin Esq. of Watertown in said county. It is ordered that the proofs of said instrument and the petition be heard before this court at the Probate court room in the court house in Chaska in said county on the 4th day of August 1873 at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day when all concerned may appear and contest the probate of said instrument, and to show cause, if any they have, why the said Hainlin should not be appointed the executor of the last will and testament of said deceased.

Ordered further that notice thereof be given to all persons interested in the estate of said deceased by publishing a copy of this order for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing in the Valley Herald a weekly newspaper printed and published at chaska in said county.

Dated at chaska the 2d day of July 1873.

J. A. SARGENT, Judge Probate

Notice Mortgage Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage dated and made executed and delivered by John Dunn and Maria Dunn mortgagors on the third day of July A. D. 1871 to Levi Pierce mortgagee and duly recorded on the fifth day of July A. D. 1871 at 2 o'clock P. M in the office of the Register of Deeds of Carver county Minnesota in Book "G" of mortgages on page 459, mortgaging the following described property situated in carver county Minnesota, to-wit:

The south east quarter (¼) of section eight (8) Townhship one hundred and sixteen (116) of Range twenty six (26). Also the south west quarter (¼) of section eleven (11), Township one hundred and sixteen (116) of Range twenty six (26) containing three hundred and twenty acres more or less.

Upon which said mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of one thousand and forty three dollars and sixty four cents, and no proceedings at law having been had to collect the sum or any part thereof.

Now therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained and of the statute in such cases made and provided the aforesaid mortgaged premises will be sold at public auction by the sheriff of carver county Minnesota to the highest bidder for cash on Saturday the 12th day of July A. D. 1873 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of said day at the front door of the Court House in the Town of Chaska in said county to satisfy the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage and the costs and expenses of foreclosure and sale.

Dated Carver Minn. May 29th 1873.

LEVI PIERCE Mortgagee.

WARNER & FOWLER, Atty's. for Mortgagee.

Mortgage Foreclosure.

Whereas default has been made in the condition of a certain mortgage bearing date May 15th A. D. 1872, made and executed by John G[illegible] of Watertown Carver Co. Minnesota of the first part and Napoleon Steinmetz of Carver Co. Minnesota party of the second part and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said county of Carver on the 28th day of June A. D. 1872 at 2 o'clock p. m. in book "G" of mortgages pages [illegible] and which said mortgage contained the following pieces or parcels of land lying and being in the county of carver, State of Minnesota, to-wit:

The south west quarter of the south west quarter of section number four in Township one hundred and seventeen of Range twenty five [illegible] in the village of Watertown as surveyed by R. H. Blanding and a plat thereof, having been duly placed on file of record [illegible] And whereas there is due at the date of this notice, on said mortgage the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars and five cents, and no proceedings at law, or otherwise having been had to recover said sum or any portion thereof. Now therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of a power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statutes in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of said mortgaged premises at public auction to the highest bidder for cash by the sheriff of said county of carver on Friday the [illegible] day of July A. D. 1873 at 1 o'clock P. M. of said day to satisfy said sum interest and costs of sale and twenty five dollars attorneys fees stipulated in said mortgage.

Chaska, May 25th 1873.

NAPOLEON STEINMETZ, Mortgagee.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure.

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the condition of a certain mortgage dated April 2d A. D. 1872 made and executed by Lorenz Golla and John Garzsek of Carver Co. Minnesota of the first part, and Napoleon Steinmetz of same place party of second part, which said mortgage was duly recorded in the office of Register of Deeds in and for said county of Carver on the 9th day of May A. D. 1872 in book "G" of mortgages page 5[illegible] and which said mortgage conveyed the following pieces and parcels of land lying and being in said County of Carver and State of Minnesota, to-wit:

The south west quarter (¼) of the north west quarter (¼) of section four (4) in Township one hundred and seventeen (117) of Range Twenty five (25), containing forty acres more or less.—And also out lot Forty-nine (49) in the village of Watertown as surveyed by R. H. Blanding Esq. and a plat thereof duly placed on file of record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said county of carver.

And whereas there is now due at the date of this notice, on said mortgage the sum of five hundred and thirty seven and 50-100 dollars, ($537,50) and no proceedings at law, or otherwise having been made to recover said sum or any portion thereof. Now therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of a power of sale in said mortgage contained and pursuant to statute in such case made and provided the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises at public auction to the highest cash bidder by the sheriff of said county of carver at the front door of the court house in Chaska in said county of carver on the 11th day of July A. D. 1873 at two o'clock of said day to satisfy said sum, interest and cost of sale, and the further sum of twenty five dollars Attorney fees as provided in said mortgage.

Dated at Chaska May 25th 1873.

NAPOLEON STEINMETZ, Mortgagee.

SUMMONS.

State of Minnesota, County of Carver, } S. S.

The State of Minnesota To the Sheriff or any constable of said County You are hereby commanded to attach the goods and chattels, moneys effects and credits of John Kattere or so much thereof as shall be sufficient to satisfy the sum of $7.00 with interest and cost of suit whoever hands or possession the same may be found in your County and so provide that the goods and chattels so attached may be subject to further proceedings thereon as the law requires and also to summons the said John Kattere if to be found, to be and appear at my office in said County on the 31st day of May A. D 1873, at 10 o'clk in the forenoon to answer to Joseph Winninghoff in a civil action to his damage one hundred dollars or under.

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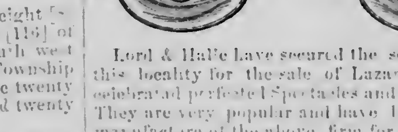

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Probate Notice.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, COUNTY OF CARVER, IN PROBATE COURT, } S. S.

In the matter of the estate of John Gustafson, deceased. On reading and filing the petition of Josephine C. Gustafson and Wilhelmaena Gustafson, praying for reasons therein set forth that Henry R. Denny of Carver in said county, be appointed the administratrix of the said deceased.

It is ordered that said petitioner be heard before the Judge of said Court, on the 8th day of August 1873 at one o'clock P. M. of said day at the Probate Court room in Chaska in said Co.

Ordered further that notice thereof be given to the heirs of said deceased and to all persons interested by publishing a copy of this order for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing in the Valley Herald a weekly newspaper printed and published at Chaska in said County.

Dated at Chaska July 10th 1873.

By the Court,

J. A. SARGENT, Judge Probate.

Notice to Town Assessors

The different Township Assessors of the County of Carver, are hereby notified to meet at the County Auditors office, at the Court House, Chaska, at 11 o'clk on Saturday the 31st day of May next, 1873. Each assessor is expected to be present at the above time, as business of importance is expected to come before said meeting.

Chaska, April 31st 1873.

L. STREUKENS, Co. Auditor.

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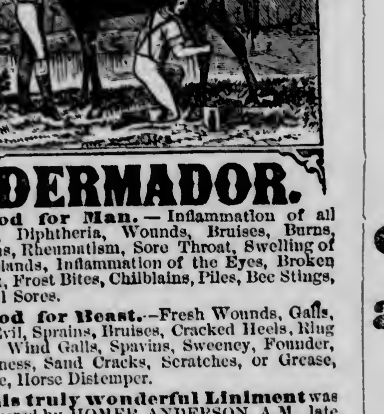

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DEALER IN

Furniture!!

Looking Glass, Chairs, tables, Bedsteads &c.

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DR. E. H. LEWIS.

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CARVER INN.

The Valley Herald

Official County Paper.

BY F. E. DU TOIT,

CHASKA THURSDAY JULY 31 1873.

THE REFORM PARTY.

Since the late Republican State Convention there has been an effort made to induce the opposition, in whatever shape it may appear, to ratify the action of the republican convention so far as to support their candidate for Governor.

Those favoring this move claim that Davis represents the reform party and that it was a class of men in favor of reform, in the late convention that finally overpowered, and outwitted the "Ring," and that therefore the republican candidate for Governor should be made the standard bearer of the opposition and supported by all parties.

Now if it would be right and proper for the opposition to support Davis it is difficult to see why they should not also support the other republican candidates and adopt as their own the platform upon which they stand. Davis approves of the platform and the entire action and proceedings of the convention. His friends being in the majority have committed the republican party to their policy. But the "Ring" still lives in all of its power and surrounds the young lawyer candidate for Governor, like a halo of glory. If the farmers cannot see it the politicans can. Those who believe that the tillers of the soil are any safer in the hands of Davis than they would be under Washburn are deceived. The fight in the convention was a fight for position inside the Ring and not against it. Davis and his friends Marshall, Sanborn and other old and skillful politicans succeeded and will of course hereafter occupy a high place in the power[illegible] administration that surrounds the successful candidate. If everything goes on smoothly Davis will probably succeed Ramsey in the U. S. Senate and reward his friends, in the ring. It is to the opposition alone that the overburdened farmers must look for relief; and if to that they [illegible] with a determination to [illegible] honesty will see the Government of this State in the hands of men fully in accord with the laboring classes.

The Grasshoppers.

From Mankato Record.

There has been so many reports in circulation regarding the damage to crops by grasshoppers that we hardly know what to depend upon. We now learn from Mr. C. N. Bell, who has just returned from a tour through Cottonwood and Watonwan counties, that the damage done by these pests in quite a large portion of Cottonwood and the southwest part of Watonwan county has not been exaggerated. Mr Belt says the condition of many of the settlers in that region is truly pitiable, their wheat was all that they had to depend upon, and that is completely destroyed. Many of these people settled upon their claims last season, with only sufficient means to live through the year and prepare their ground for a crop this season, and the destruction of their crop leaves them with nothing to support their families until they can raise another. The prospect is indeed a gloomy one for them. He says that the injured district extends as far south and west as Spirit Lake, and he learns of no damage north of Cottonwood county. Their day of mischief is over for this season, and it will probably be years before, if ever, we have another visitation from them.

—A hound was chasing a fox near Laurel Hill, North Carolina, a few days since. when the latter, being tightly pressed, took refuge in a hollw log, entrance into which it effected at a knot hole. The dog coming up, and finding that the fox had gotten into the log, thrust his head into the knot hole after the fox. and got his head fast therein. Being unable to extricate himself, the dog died, and the fox, being cut off from the only avenue of escape from the log, likewise perished, both of them, evidently, having died of starvation.

Hon. Eugene M. Wilson.

From Wright county Eagle.

We suggest the name of Hon. Eugene M. Wilson, of Minneapolis, as Democratic candidate for Governor of the State of Minnesota, and feel assured that such nomination will be heartily supported by the Democratic portion of Wright county.

Impending Avalanche of Uncleanness.

"Burleigh" writes to the Boston Journal that the tri-party letter published shows that the Woodhulls did not originate the scandal which they published. It had been coursing through the sewers of Brooklyn for half a dozen years A publication is ready for the press giving a minute history of all parties connected with this remarkable matter.—How the intimacy began in a well known mansion on Brooklyn heights; the parties who were present; the various interviews held, running over several years; who were in attendance; what was said and done; together with letters and correspondence supposed to have been burned. The document is from the pen of one of the most graphic writers of the day, and will unquestionably make a most profound and wide-spread sensation, Letters redelivered or given to the flames were first taken before a magistrate and copies certified. These papers are to make a part of the forthcoming volume. The book will contain several hundred pages.

Straight Stealing.

Letter of Elihu B. Washburne.

I was in Congress when the salary was but $3,000, and I have always found it more than sufficient to meet my necessary personal expenses. When it was raised to $5,000 I thought it was too much. and think so still; but raising it to $7,500 is nothing more nor less than straight stealing. Every year that I was in Congress I laid by a portion of my salary, and none of my constituents ever complained that I didn't live decently. The people don't send their representatives to Washington to live like princes, buck the tiger, and keep half a dozen mistresses.

A Serpent in the Clouds.

A paper published at Bonham, Tex., says that a few days ago, and a short distance from that place, a man "saw something resembling an enormous serpent floating in a cloud that was passing over his farm. Several parties of men and boys, at work in the fields, observed the same thing. and were seriously frightened. It seemed to be as large and long as a telegraph pole, was of a yellow striped color, and seemed to float along without any effort They could see it coil itself up, turn over. and thrust forward its huge head as if striking at something." It is a pity that lager beer or some other mild liquid could not be substituted for the beverage now in use at that place.

—The appearance of Grant at the national capital is so seldom now days that when he goes up from Long Branch to Washington the newspapers speak of it as a "visit." The force of the expression is illustrated by the shortness of the stay—which rarely exceeds one or two days. He is the first President who ever visited Washington during his term. All his predecessors stayed there, and attended to the duties the people paid them for discharging.

The proper place for the people to strike at the root of corruption is Congress and the Legislature. They know what kind of representatives they have been electing. and begin to appreciate how completely their interests have been betrayed. Now what are they going to do about it? Return the same men again to positions they have disgraced? That would be as wise as to put the thief on guard to watch himself. Can it longer be doubted that reform calls for new men at the helm. That the majority so long in power must be displaced, if useful results are expected? You can't learn old dogs new tricks.—Young men and new ideas must come to the front.

—What could be more impressive than a squad of junketing Congressmen traveling free over a land grant railroad, and viewing the millions of acres of farm lands they have given away. We know of nothing more so, unless they were engaged in cyphering out the rent profits each received for his vote. But while this would be a spectacle of more grandeur, it does not touch the sublime. That is only attained when these same men get up a party platform denouncing land grants. back-pay, and the corruptions of the times. That is a grand climacteric. When it is reached honest men may well inquire "What next?"

KING OF THE BLOOD.

Scrofulous Eruptions. Case.—When I commenced using King of the Blood, I was troubled with a Scofulous Eruptions on the back of my neck, extending to the back of ears. It had existed for several month, also the inside of my ears, both had been sore for more than a year, and had resisted all attempts at healing (and they were many). I had used your medicine but a few months before my neck and ears were entirely well. and have not troubled me since, and it has been several months since.

Mrs. C. H. White,
Alden, Erie Co., N. Y.

See advertiement in another column.

☞ Subscribe for the Herald.

HOME ITEMS

HERALD AGENT CARVER—G. A. DuToit

Lake Superior & M. R. R.

Trains arrive and depart from the Chaska depot as follows:

GOING NORTH........................6:20 P. M.

GOING SOUTH........................9:33 A. M.

S. W. LUSK, Agent.

Shakopee, Chaska & Carver Accommodation Trains.

CONNECTING WITH ALL TRAINS ON SIOUX CITY R.

GOING WEST,	GOING EAST,
8:25 A. M.	8:45 A. M.
2:00 P. M.	5:10 P. M.
6:20 p. m	

H. & D. TRAINS,

Going West, 1.20 P. M. Going East, 9:00 A. M.

NOTICE.

Payments for back subcription to the HERALD must be made at once. We are very much in need of money and are consequently obliged to call on all those indebted to pay up.

DEATH OF JUDGE EBINGER.

The death of Judge Jacob Ebinger which occurred on Monday last surprised no one, as he had for several months been wasting away under that terrible disease, consumption.

Judge Ebinger was one of the first settlers of this town and county, having settled in Chaska in 1853. He was born in Wirtemburg and was at the time of his death fifty three years of age. He held many places of trust in this County, being Judge of Probate for two years and County Treasurer for six years—No man ever lived in the County in whom the people placed more explicit confidence.

He was kind and generous to a fault and died without an enemy.

He was burried on Tuesday last under the auspices of the Druids, of which order he was a member. The procession which followed his remains to their resting place was composed of people from all parts of the County, and the largest ever seen in Chaska.

PERSONAL.—Capt. T. D Smith just returned from Fort Abercrombia will spend a few weeks with his friends in Chaska when he will return again to his business at the Fort.

SALE.—The hardware store lately owned by F. Wommer has been purchased of Henry Vartz and Dogelbert Kerker of chaska and will occupy the old stand.

GRAND PIC NIC.—The Pic-nic, at Waconia last Sunday was very largely attended by citizens from Chaska, Young America, Benton and Waconia. It was a success in every particular, and Mr Metzold is to be commended. The music was furnished by the Watertown Band

BALL AT CARVER.—Mr. Edward Kranke proprietor of the Rail Road House in Carver will give a grand ball on Saturday the 2d day of August next. Mr. Kranke knows how to get things up to suit his customers, and a good time may be expected,

HEAVY RAIN—We learn from the farmers that the heavy rain of the last few days will injure the crops in some places but no serious damage is likely to result,

A CARD.

The undersinged hereby return thanks to the citizens of Chaska and elsewhere, who so kindly assisted her in the care of her husband during his illness, and at the funeral, and to the Concordia Society for music furnished at the burial.

Chaska July 30. 1873.

MRS. JACOB EBINGER.

Notice,

Having closed out my business in Chaska all persons who are indebted to me must settle the same within thirty days to save cost.

Chaska July 30th 1873

F. WOMMER

NOTICE.

To Whom it May Concern.

We, the undersigned Merchants of Chaska, will charge all our customers 12 per cent. Int. after thirty days from purchase of goods, as we have to pay the same to our creditors.

DANIEL STONE. | P. HENK.
HENRY YOUNG. | THIES & WLF
L. WARNER. | F. WOMMER.
FRANKEN & STAKEN.

Carver Items.

MORE.—We are glad to be able to inform our readers throughout the Co. that several new persons have been mentioned as candidates, among whom is Jac Dunn, Republican, for Register of Deeds, and also is Pat Colbert of Hancock, A. L. Skog and Chas Ludloff of Dahlgreen for the House in the Carver District. For Sheriff, we hear the names of Henry Gehl of Carver, Republican, and Geo. Kroenschnable of Young America, Democrat. We understand the name of Chas. Johnson of Carver is also prominently mentioned as a candidate for Judge of Probate but cannot speak of our own knowledge as to its being so "If we hear of more persons presenting themselves for "sacrifise" we shall mention them in our next.

Landlord.—Mr. Krineke late of Young Americ has rented the Rail Road hotel, lately occupied by John Gustavson,and will keep a first class boarding house, and saloon Give him a call.

In Town.—Frank Mosbaugh the popular agent of the H. & D. Road, Chaska, paid Carver a visit on Saturday.—Come again Frank and stay longer.

Agents—W. H Mills is agent at Carver for the Minneapolis Road, and Thos. R. Mears for the H. & D. Road. Two gentlemen who understand their business thoroughly, and please the public,

FOUND—A large sized memorandum book, containing papers of different sorts was found last week on the Benton road, the owner can call at the Carver Bank and get it.

Shooting.—Our "sporting club," are busily engaged in cleaning up their guns, for the coming campaign against the chickens, the 1st of August is here and chickens are said to be plenty.

Pie-Nic.—The ladies of the Carver Sunday School are getting every thing in readiness for a grand pic-nic for the children to take place sometime next week at Baslers grove.

More Brick.—John Helgeson is shipping 100. thousand brick to Minneapolis by rail they are of an excellent quality, and will bring a good price,

Shower—We were blest with a splendid shower of rain on monday, just what was needed.

Sold—L. Maurus of Waconia has sold his house and lot at that place and will probably come to Carver and open a hotel.

The Farmers.—All are now busy in the wheat and oat fields, this week will be one of work, good weather is wanted.

For Governor.—We heard several names mentioned in connection with the governorship and but one seems to take well in this vicinity and that is Hon. E. M. Wilson of Minneapolis. He would in our opinion poll a much larger vote than any man the democrat could nominate. Get his consent and put him in the field.

Market Day—Saturday last was fair day in Carver but owing to its being in the midst "of harvest" it was not as well attended as usual. Stock changed hands pretty freely and at rather low figures. Nice fat oxen would bring from $85 to 110 per pair, while working oxen averaged about $100 Good cows would bring from $20 to $35.

Alive.—Candidates for county offices this fall were "alive to business" on Saturday our county friends were "buttonholded" and whispered at on every corner and no doubt are well convinced which is the "best man." O yes.

Personal.—Our friend Wm. H. Harrison from Lakeaddie McLeod Co. was in town on Monday and made us a call. Glad to hear he is prospering.

R. E. Wilcox of Minneapolis connected with the Carver mill spent Saturday in Carver.

Andrew Brink Esq. who left Caaver about five years ago for California, returned on Saturday last. Andrew says there is no place like Minnesota and will like a sensible fellow remain here.

John Matheis that celebrated "carpet man" of St. Paul was seen bumming about town during the week. John is O. K.

P. Nelson. C. Dougherty, Pat Conboy, Robt Patterson, Andy Minder and others of our friends from the county made us pleasant calls during the week.

DECLINED.—Ed. Reusse of Benton wishes us to state that he is not a candidate for the Legislature. his name being used without his consent.

EDWARD KRANKE.

RAILROAD HOUSE AND SALOON.

CARVER .... MINN.

Board by the day or weeks, with reasonable charges. First class saloon attached. Good stabling attached to premises.

Strayed or Stolen.

From the village of Chaska on Saturday night last, July 19th, one chestnut sorrel horse, 8 yrs. old. Said horse weighs about 1000 pounds and has a small white spot in forehead. A liberal reward will be paid for information leading to his recovery.

Chaska July 23d 1873.

DR. J. S. RICHARDSON.

Boarding House.

CHASKA, ... MINN.

The undersigned has opened a first class private boarding house, and is now prepared to properly keep boarders, tourists and travelers in good style. Good stabling attached to the premises,

Chaska July 23d 1873.

JACOB BYHOFFER, Propr.

Public Auctioneer.

The undersigned has been duly authorized to act as auctioneer in this County and respectfully solicits a share of the patronage from my old friends of this County. Terms reasonable.

Chaska July 23d 1873.

JACOB BYHOFFER, Auctioneer.

Premium List of the Carver County Agricultural Society.

Fair to be held at Carver on the 26th and 27th days of September A. D. 1873.

	HORSES.	
1st Prem.	work horses	$3 00
2d	do	1 50
1st	Saddle horse	1 50
1st	Matched horses	2 00
1st	Breod mare and colt	3 00
1st	Mares	2 00
1st	Stallion	3 00
1st	Filly	1 50
2d	do	1 00
	CATTLE.	
1st	work oxen	2 50
2d	do	1 25
1st	Steers, 3 years and under	1 75
2d	do	1 00
1st	Bull	2 00
1st	Milch cow	2 00
1st	Heifer	1 00
	SWINE.	
1st	Boar	2 00
2d	do	1 00
1st	Sow	2 00
1st	Pigs under 5 months	1 00
	FOWLS.	
1st	Coop of chickens	1 00
2d	do	75
1st	Ducks	75
1st	Turkeys	75
1st	Geese	75
1st	Collection of fancy fowls	75
	GRAIN	
1st	Winter wheat	1 00
2d	do	50
1st	Spring wheat	1 00
2d	do	50
1st	Oats	1 00
2d	do	50
1s	Barley	50
1st	Rye	1 00
1st	Corn	1 00
2d	do	75
1st	Early beans	50
1st	Late do	50
1st	Buckwheat	75
	VEGETABLES.	
1st	Potatoes	1 00
1st	do early	1 00
1st	do late	1 00
1st	Squash	50
1st	Variety of squash	75
1st	Sugar Beet	50
1st	Blood do	50
1st	Mangel Wurzel	50
1st	Ruta bagas	50
1st	Turnip	50
1st	Cabbage	50
1st	Onions	50
1st	Tomatoes	25
1st	Carrots	25
1st	Turnips	25
1st	Cauliflower	50
2d	do	25
1st	Kohl Rabbi	25
1st	Pumpkins	50
1st	Water melons	50
1st	do variety	75
1st	Musk melon	50
1st	Cucumbers	50
1st	Peppers	50
1st	Egg plant	25
1st	Collection of vegetables	1 00
	FRUITS.	
1st	Winter apples	3 00
2d	do	1 50
1st	Fall apples	2 50
2d	do	1 25
1st	Summer apples	2 00
1st	varieties of crabs	3 00
1st	Largest apples	1 00
1st	Grapes	1 00
2d	do	75
1st	do display	1 00
	PRODUCTIONS.	
1st	Flour	1 00
1st	Butter	1 00
2d	do	50
1st	Cheese	1 00
2d	do	50
1st	Comb honey	1 00
2d	do	50
1st	Extracted honey	50
1st	Hand soap	1 00
1st	Woolen yarn	50
	IMPLEMENTS AND MACHINERY.	
1st Prem.	Sewing Machine	Diploma.
1st	Fanning do	do
1st	Single wagon	do
2d	do	do
1st	Washing machine	do
1st	Plow	do
1st	Harrow	do
1st	Stove and furniture	do
1st	reaper	do
1st	Mower	do
1st	Seeder	do
1st	Cultivator	do
1st	Collection of farming impmts.	do
	NEEDLEWORK.	
1st	Machine needle work	1 00
2d	do	75
1st	Hand needle work	1 00
2d	do	75
1st	Fancy needle work	75
1st	do	50
1st	Displap of milinery	1 50
	FLOWERS.	
1st	Variety of flowers	1 00
2d	do	50
	PAINTINGS.	
1st	Oil painting	1 00
2d	do	75
1st	Crayon	75
1st	Penciling	50
	PENMANSHIP.	
1st	Writing	1 00
2d	do	50

Disotionary premiums may be awarded upon articles not enumerated in the above, when they display merit. Two premiums will not be awarded on the same article. Entry to persons not members of the association one dollar, to members fifty cents. Price of admission to fair building 10 cents a person. Entries to be made on the first day unless the time is extended at the regular meeting.

June 21st 1873,

THEO. BOST, President.

FRANK WARNER, Secretary.

VILLAGE ORDINANCES.

ORDINANCE No. 5.

Be it ordained by the Village Board of Chaska.

SEC. 1. That the regular monthly meeting of the Village Board of the Village of Chaska be and are hereby fixed upon the first Wednesday of each and every month until otherwise ordered to meet at the store of Messrs. Franken & Staken at the hour of 7½ o'clock p. m. of said days.

Approved, May 28th 1873.

F. E. DU TOIT, President Board of Trustees.

Attest: J. FRANKEN, Clerk.

ORDINANCE No. 6.

Be it ordained by the Village Board of Chaska.

SEC. 1. Any disorderly or intoxicated person found in any street, alley, square, saloon, or other public place in this Village, shall be arrested and confined in Jail until he shall become orderly or sober, not exceeding twenty four hours.

SEC. 2. The Marshall of the Village hereby empowered, and it is hereby made his duty to arrest any disorderly or intoxicated person found in any street, alley, square, saloon, or other public place in this Village, without warrant and confine him in jail, there to be kept until he shall become orderly or sober, not exceeding twenty four hours.

SEC. 3. Such disorderly person shall be arraigned before the Village Justice at the earliest moment practicable after such arrest, and if found guilty of being disorderly or intoxicated as aforesaid, shall be fined not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, for the benefit of the Village.

SECT. 4. The trial of any offender under this Ordinance shall be conducted the same as criminal cases in Justices Court, under our annual statutes of this State, except as herein provided.

Approved, May 28th 1873.

F. E. DU TOIT, President Board of Trustees.

Attest, J. FRANKEN, Clerk.

VILLAGE ORDINANCE No. 7.

SEC. 1. All persons are hereby torbidden prohibited and restricted from selling giving or dealing in spirituous rinous malt or fermanted liquors within this Village unless duly licensed by the Village Board of Trustees of said Village.

SEC. 2. Any person desiring a licence under this Ordinance must file their application therefore with the Village Clerk of said Village on or before the 1st day of July A. D 1873, and pay the said Clerk for the use of the Village the sum of twenty five dollars for a license for one year.

SECT 3. Whoever sells, barters, gives or deals in spirituous, vinous, malt or fermented liquors, within the limits of said Village, without first having obtained a license, therefore, agreeable to the provisions of this Ordinance or disposes of any spirituous, vinous, malt or fermented liquors, under any protext, or in any manner, from which an intention to evade this ordinance appears, shall be fined not less than twenty five nor more than one hundred dollars for each offence.

SECT. 4. All persons engaged in the various business hereafter mentioned shall pay an annual license as follows, viz:

Proprietors of General stores,	25.00
Attorney at Law (each member)	5.00
Harness makers,	5.00
Publishers,	5.00
Proprietors of meat markets,	5.00
Proprietors of Millinery Stores,	5.00
Circus per day,	10.00
Traveling Troupes (each entertainment,)	2.00
Owners of Steam Flouring mills,	10.00
Peddlers, per year,	10.00
Auctioneers license unless residents of this County,	5.00
Proprietors of Livery Stables.	5.00

Any person who shall hereafter establish or carry on any business within the limits of said Village for which a license is required by the provisions of this section without having first obtained a license, therefore shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in a sum not exceeding thirty dollars nor less than five dollars for each and every offence.

SECT 5. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force on and after this 4th day of June A. D. 1873. Approved.

Attest, J. FRANKEN, Clerk.

F. E. DU TOIT, President Bord of Trustees,

JOE. FRANKEN. JOS. STAKKEN.

FRANKEN & CO.

New Drug STORE.

CHASKA. .. .. .. MINN.

Have just opened a new Drug Store and offer for sale a complete stock of

DRUGS & MEDICINE,

Perfumery,

Fancy,

And

Toilet Articles,

Glass, Oils,

Paints

And Varnishes,

Stationery,

AND

All Kinds

of Books,

Patent Medicines.

AND ALL OTHER ARTICLES USUALLY KEPT IN A FIRST CLASS DRUG STORE.

☞ Prescription carefully compounded at all hours from the purest Mediines.

FRANKEN & CO.

THE NEWS.

At Home.

A Vienna special states that Hiram Garretson, of Cleveland, Ohio, has been appointed Chief American Commissioner in place of Jackson Schultz, resigned, and has entered upon his duties.

Several important tax records of Brooklyn are missing, and are believed to have been taken by some of the late ring to cover up former irregularities.

A Carlist force has been defeated by Government troops at Imbeuneda, in the province of Barcelona, after a battle of eighteen hours, during which the town was frequently taken and lost by the opposing forces. The number of dead and wounded left upon the field was so large that all vehicles of every kind in town were pressed into service for their removal.

Last Thursday the parents of Utica V. Brooker, sister of Victoria C. Woodhull, called on a lawyer, and said they had reason to believe that their daughter, who died July 9, had been poisoned, and that they suspected a physician who attended her of being guilty of the alleged murder, with the knowledge and connivance of Col. Blood.

Advices from Vienna, dated the 17th of July, state that up to that time there had been sixty-one cases of cholera reported, forty-one of which were fatal. In a single hotel where forty-two were attacked with the symptoms six died. The hotel was closed.

A labor congress consisting of delegates from various trades unions, commenced in Cleveland, Tuesday, one of its avowed objects being to organize a new political party.

The fifth annual meeting of the national photographic association opened at Buffalo, Tuesday, with a large attendance from nearly every section of the country. Merely routine business was done.

The flooring of the Presbyterian Church at Hudson City, N. J., gave away during an entertainment, Thursday night, and forty children were injured, some seriously.

A terrible storm visited Ironton, O., Tuesday morning. Steamers on the Ohio had to tie up. The iron and steel company's building was struck by lightning, and bricks hurled from the walls violently. A large iron bar was torn from the hands of a fireman. He was severely shocked.

Reports from all sections of Virginia report the oat crop as the finest in that state for many years. Wheat is harvested, and will hardly yield an average. Copious rains have been general throughout the state the past two weeks, and the corn crop is very promising.

The Commissioners of the Northern Pacific Railroad have decided to make the western terminus at Lacoma, Washington Territory.

Lightning demolished the spire of the German Reform Church at Orrville, Ohio, Monday night. At Fredericksburg an unknown man sought shelter under a tree and was killed.

By examining their books, the Louisville Public Library officers discovered that the ticket drawing the capital prize—$100,000—was bought by L. H. Keith, of Kingston, Mass.; and the ticket drawing the second prize—$50,000—was bought by Willis Morely of Giles county, Tenn. The parties have been notified that the money is subject to their order.

Wm. E. Underbook, charged with the murder of a strange man near Jennerville, Penn township, Chester county, Penn., was arrested in Baltimore, Tuesday morning, at the [illegible] mill of Otto Duller, where he was at work, and taken to Chester county.

Four fires in Louisville, Tuesday night, destroyed $100,000 worth of property.

During a five-mile single scull race between John Biglan and Ellis Ward, at Springfield, Mass., Ward was seized with vertigo, bringing the race to a sudden close.

The German Government has just made another purchase of United States bonds to the amount of two millions.

Mrs. Rachel Moffat, of Adel, Iowa, was struck by lightning and instantly killed while in her garden last Sunday. She was one of oldest settlers in that region. Her grandchild, who was with her, was also seriously burned by the same flash.

On Monday afternoon lightning struck a [illegible] in Blissfield, Mich., and killed a young [illegible] of Rev. Mr. Quick, pastor of the Presbyterian Church.

Recent investigations prove that the peach crop at South Haven will be the greatest ever known. At some points on the east shore they are an entire failure, but at South Haven many owners are thinning them out. Small fruits of all kinds are a full crop also.

The Shah of Persia has conferred a decoration on M. Buffett, President of the French Assembly.

The permanent retirement of Bismarck from the German Cabinet will soon take place.

Spanish troops sacked the town of San Cuisa, burned the factories and insulted the women.

A fire in the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery at the Washington Navy Yard, destroyed a number of valuable records.

The Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railroad Company have purchased 160 acres of land near Cleveland, for shops and yards.

Crop reports from Arkansas, North Mississippi and West Tennessee are much more encouraging, though a drouth is feared. Reports from North Alabama are conflicting, and the appearance of cotton caterpillars is reported in several sections, likewise in the prairie regions of Mississippi.

John Ridgely and Isaac Cole, two of a large gang of counterfeiters, were arrested at Eaton, Ohio, on Monday.

On Monday a man named John Sullivan, engaged in laying sewer pipe in Cleveland, was buried beneath ten feet of heavy soil, the ditch having caved in upon him. He was dug out by his fellow-laborers, and died in seven minutes after being extricated.

Suit has been commenced in the United States District Court against Duden, Freres & Co., lace importers of New York, for one hundred and two thousand dollars penalties for alleged irregularities in importing goods, involving frauds on the revenue laws.

Jacob Hoffman and William Eberhardt, who were so badly burned during the fire at Eberting's brewery, Morrissiana, last Tuesday, died on Saturday.

Six hundred packages of goods from the wreck of the steamer City of Washington, have drifted to sea.

A boy six years old, while carrying a bottle of whisky to the hands in the harvest field, near Simsonia, Ky., drank freely of the liquor on the way, and died in a few hours.

A fire in Greenbush, Rensailaer county, N. Y., opposite Albany, Sunday evening, destroyed twenty-four dwellings, located on Broadway, Columbia and Academy streets; also Collender's lumber yards and Reno's and Traver's coal yards. Loss estimated between $150,000 and $200,000; insurance small. A boy named Brady was burned to death.

George Hazenfeldt, while killing fish near Jackson, California, with giant powder, had a cartridge explode in his hand, blowing him to pieces. One arm and a portion of the body have not been found.

A young man named Gill suicided with arsenic, at Middleport, Licking county, Ohio, Saturday, to prevent his wife from obtaining a divorce.

At New Orleans, while the Phoenix fire companies were trying their new steamer, the brass nozzle of the hose flew off, striking John Doyle, who was holding the pipe, killing him instantly.

Three men working on a scaffold at the west pier of the bridge at St. Louis, fell into the river Saturday evening, and one of them John Platt, of Ohio, was drowned. The other two swam ashore.

The deaths in St. Louis the past week were 241, the same number as last week. Of this number 67 are reported as cholera morbus and 43 as cholera infantum and summer complaint; 139 children under five years are included in the list.

A young lady named Amelia Lang, of Groveland, was burned to death at Austin Corners, Mich., Wednesday night, when asleep in the house of Mr. John Lowry, which accidentally caught fire and was consumed.

Five cholera deaths in Cincinnati Friday.

At Memphis, J. C. Silward, while intoxicated, fell from a window Thursday, and broke his neck. He leaves a family in Oxford, Michigan.

The troubles in Pope county, Arkansas have broken out afresh.

A terrible accident happened on Wednesday night in Allamakee county, Iowa, at a place called Columbus Ridge. Mrs. Hjort, wife of pastor Hjort, of the Norwegian Church in that place, was burned to death by the ignition of some alcohol, with which she was cleaning clothes near a fire. Seven small children are left alone and motherless, her husband and eldest child being in Norway.

The trotter Charles E. Low, formerly Patchen Chief, died in New York on Thursday night. His owner had just been offered fifteen thousand dollars for him.

It is thought that the greater portion of the cargo of the City of Washington will be recovered, though in a damaged condition.

The Attorney General has decided that the fifteen per cent. increase of compensation of employes of the Senate and House of Representatives, as provided for by the act of March 3, 1873, applies only to employes during the Forty-second Congress, and does not apply to those persons whose employment in that capacity commenced after the 4th of March, 1873.

The Peoria and Rock Island Railroad has raised the grain blockade, which has existed since June 30, in consequence of the Illinois railway law. This company is now carrying grain from Davenport, Iowa, to eastern cities at the same rates as existed before July 1.

A marriage has finally been arranged between the Duke of Edinburgh and the Grand Duchess Maria Alexandriana, only daughter of the Emperor of Russia. The Duke thus foregoes the right of succession to the Duchy of Saxe Coburg, which fact involves important political considerations.

Albert Sanders, a negro, was executed at Prince Frederick, Md., Friday, for the murder of E. A. Burdell, last December.

Thomas Jackson, a negro was hanged at Leonardstown, Md., Friday for the murder of Postmaster Scofield, in April last.

A Havana letter states that two entire Spanish regiments are in revolt against the Captain General. Several Spanish camps in Puerto Principi have been withdrawn, and the forts in the northern section of the Island are being abandoned by the Spaniards.

Three men named Joshua A. Judy, Thos. Platt and Ned Kendall, were crushed to death by the fall of a piece of slate in the mine of Carker, Russell & Co., near St. Louis, on Friday.

The Bureau of Agriculture has given orders for the purchase of four hundred bushels of Chilian wheat, and the same quantity of French wheat, for the purpose of meeting requests from various parts of the country. The demand for seeds has latterly been so great that the treasury of the institution is exhausted. By the first of next month, however, it is expected the Bureau will be able to meet all requests for wheat, but supplies of other cereals will not be furnished till September.

A letter from Sulphur Springs, Jefferson county, Tenn., to the Commissioner of Pensions, states that the cholera is prevailing at Greenville to such an extent that, out of a population of twelve hundred, all but twelve families have deserted the place in a panic. Greenville is the residence of Andy Johnson.

The Mint at Philadelphia is now engaged in re-melting vast quantities of light gold coins. Since January 1 some $23,000,000 worth have been melted, and $10,000,000 more will be received and re-coined this week. Orders for new trade dollars will be filled in the early part of next week. Over $1,000,000 in gold were received from New York, Thursday, for re-coinage.

The loss of the schooner Memento off the coast of Nova Scotia, with all hands, is announced.

Abroad.

Telegrams from Europe say the cholera is abating.

An accident on the Caledonia Railroad, in England, killed two persons and injured thirty others.

The Government of Japan has given orders for the return of five of the six students sent to this country by the company in Osaka, and who have been here two years.

Owing to the prevalence of the rinderpest in Russia, the German authorities have deemed it necessary to prohibit importations from that country.

A heavy rain storm damaged the crops in Yorkshire, England, Sunday.

Carlists claim that their cause is gaining ground in Spain with great rapidity.

The Spanish government has issued a decree restoring all property heretofore seized for political offenses in Cuba.

A Plesiosaurus.

A fossil Plesiosaurus was recently found in Nebraska. Professor White, the State Geologist, says that this animal, having been an inhabitant of 500,000 and 1,000,000 years ago, is known only to the few scientific men who have had an opportunity to inspect its remains, preserved in Nature's way, between seams of rock through this long period of time, the skeleton being of course the only parts remaining.

From all that has been gathered, the animal was like unto the lizard, or perhaps the alligator of the present time, and of their nature. It differed from the alligator, however, in the length of its neck, which was as long as the rest of the body and tail together, resembling that of an immense swan.

Its mouth was armed with from 130 to 140 sharp-pointed conical teeth, and it is believed to have been an air-breathing animal. It's neck has from forty to fifty joints or pieces in it, thus giving it great freedom of motion and the power of using those formidable teeth with great effect.

It is no doubt a fierce and savage animal, more so, if possible, than the alligator or crocodile of the present age.

It is a pity that this splendid specimen should be allowed to go from the very doors of our University to be placed in some cabinet East.

It is a Western production, and should be owned here by our own *avan s.*

Appointments.

The Secretary of the Interior has appointed S. R. Hosmer, of Zanesville, Ohio, Commissioner to investigate the Indian massacre near Rawlins, Wyoming Territory. Hosmer is appointed in place of N. J. Turney, one of the Indian Peace Commissions, who could not attend. The Investigating Committee consists of Gov. Campbell, of Wyoming, E. P. Goodrich, of Chicago, and S. R. Hosmer.

J. A. Tanner, of Delaware, has been appointed Indian Agent for the Colorado River Agency in Arizona.

P. Retz, of Washington Territory, R. R. Thomson, of Oregon, and V. P. Sturges, of the District of Columbia, have been appointed Commissioners to examine a section of the Northern Pacific Railroad.

Flowers.

Flowers be my portion when in idle pining
 Sadly I ponder the defeats of Time;
Foiled of the prizes hung beyond my reaching,
 Weary with falls, no longer fit to climb;
Dear flowers that stanch the rising tear with beauty,
 Making me glad with an immortal prime!

Flowers be my solace when aloof lamenting
 O'er the lost treasures of my golden days;
O'er friends, now dust, that by the way have fallen;
 O'er loves, now ashes, that were once ablaze.
Dear flowers, O keep between me and foul shadows!
 Breathing instead the ghosts of early Mays.

Grant me chaste revel in your beaming favors!
 Nay, lily-virgins, meet me eye to eye!
Deign, reigning roses, your most gracious faces!
 Close, closer, violets! Darlings, why so coy?
Dear flowers, that shame me with your innocent gladness,
 Drawing my vapors with your shining joy!

Lift your little heads, though mine, alas! be drooping;
 Burn with love's flame, though wan my own desire!
Kindle my vision with your playful glances!
 Pique my dull sense that flatters to admire!
Dear flowers, that make me hear the dear birds singing!
 Vestals that feed me with undying fire!

Ye were my playmates in my busy boyhood;
 Ye were my game when hunting field and bower;
Unknown your names, but not your lovely faces;
 What was a name when beauty was the dower?
Dear flowers, how did I wait the April meeting!
 Sure of your coming at the promised hour.

Ye were my pages when enthralled by Beauty,
 Bearing my priceless secret to her breast;
Ye were my mutes that graced my mourning sorrow,
 Blessing the turf where Beauty went to rest.
Dear flowers, still bless me with your tender glory!
 Softening my day-fall as it nears the west.

Stand at my death-bed with your holy incense,
 That my last dream may be of new mown hay;
Heirs of my grave, draw vigor from my ruin,
 Lifting my darkness once more to the day!
Dear flowers, rewed by Death, sublimed by Beauty,
 Taking the sunshine with the waifs of May!

—*N. Y. Evening Post.*

A SENSATIONAL SKETCH.

"It's only a flirtation, you know, auntie."

"Then I pronounce it an exceedingly reprehensible course of conduct, Zoe. You certainly have encouraged Mr. Vavasour's attentions, and people are beginning to remark the intimacy. You must put a stop to it."

"Which—people talking, or Mr. Vavasour's attentions?" asked Zoe demurely.

"Effect a stoppage of the latter, and they'll be no room for the other," returned Miss Murray, with asperity "It's a mortal wrong to flirt with every gentleman in the house, as you have been doing."

"Oh, auntie," cried Zoe, with a merry twinkle in her black eye, which contradicted the grave expression of her long-drawn countenance, "you *know* I have scarcely spoken to Jonas Ferrington; and I'm sure you haven't had eyes for any one else, except, as it seems, your favorite, Henry Vavasour."

Zoe executed a pirouette about the room and disappeared within her own door quite unconscious that Vavasour passed beneath the window, and had heard all the conversation. He flipped the ashes from his cigar and walked on with a meditative frown contracted on his brow.

Vavasour was a lady-killer, and in his own way faultless. His broadcloth was of the finest, his linen the whitest, his boots and gloves tiny, unwrinkled, and perfect. He was tall and stylish, his complexion scarlet and white, his teeth dazzling, his hair wavy, silken, and brown. Yet despite all these perfections, his whole expression was marred by the undecided quiver of his full mouth, and the shifting, selfish light in his blue eyes.

The wrinkle in his forehead smoothed itself gradually out, and he bit the end of a cigar with a complacent smile.

"Only a flirtation, eh?" he soliloquised. "Well, all the better for that; but what an artful minx it is! Why, I was actually experiencing compunctious qualms, and debating *Pro* or *con* if I should turn over a new leaf toward her. Rather hard on a fellow's self-esteem to find himself beaten at his own game; but, considering the circumstances, I'm quite reconciled this time. Now, I can enjoy my little amusement without misgivings, during my fort' night of probation. And then, my dear Zoe, I must yield to superior claims."

Zoe tripped down to the terrace of the seaside hotel, where he awaited her a couple of hours later. She had a trim little figure and a dainty foot; and the puffings and loopings of her white organdie walking dress, just disclosed the buttoned boot beneath, were something wonderful to behold.

There was a brighter flush upon her cheek, and a softer light in her wide black eyes, that dropped shyly as she met him.

"Finished little coquette!" mentally commented Vavasour.

And Zoe, with her gloved finger tips upon his arm, felt her heart quiver and thrill with a rapturous sensation, which was something new in her life experience.

Ah, Zoe, little enchantess, who has walked over half a score of hearts in your one season out, was your bravado then only the vaunt of a spirit unwilling to acknowledge its enthrallment until verbally compromised? Auntie, left behind in the fume of discontent, and Vavasour beside her, self-assured by the conversation he had overheard were ignorant alike of the strong passion budding into life in the girls intense and undisciplined nature.

Words so meaninglessly sweet murmured in Vavasour's tone, tender glances so falsely expressive resting on her radiant face, nurtured the germ into active life, and for the time satisfied Zoe's newly awakened craving for—*his* love.

She was lost in a maze of sweet delight --exploring unknown paths, where every turn was drawing her closer, closer to the goal of life and love and happiness, or humiliation and despair, bitter, blank and baneful. And she was so sure of the heaven on earth she had traced on the canvass of the future in such glowing colors

She kept no reckoning of the days and hours as they floated past, while she was lost in the sweetness of the fleeting dream. Yet she walked and talked, ate, drank, and slept, much in the ordinary way, except that she breathed in an ecstatic atmosphere which, to her own senses, seemed to change her into a refined and etherialized transmogrification of herself.

Miss Murray was too thoroughly engrossed in her wedding outfit and her prospective bridegroom to interest herself in Zoe's proceedings. She came to a realization of her charge once in a while, long enough to deliver an expostulation spiced by a modicum of advise, and generally winded up by taking Zoe's opinion regrding some minutiæ pertaining to the *trousseau*.

In every grade of social life there are always some persons more observant of their neighbors' acts, than careful of their own; and these began to whisper that Zoe was wearing her heart upon her sleeve.

Vavasour himself wavered now and then. He could not always distrust the sweet young face, with its flashing orbs grown liquid and deep at his approach. He had his good traits beneath the crust of selfish worldliness which prevailed; and the shallow depths were stirred sometimes by a mingling of remorse and longing that he crushed out again with the cruel blindness of a will that would not be convinced.

The blow fell upon Zoe with only the faintest premonition to herald it.

She danced in through the side entrance of the hotel one evening, with her short black curls all in a tumble from the race she had been taking along the shore. She came upon V. vasour suddenly, to his ill-concealed discomfiture. He held a flower-pot containing a royal purple fuchsia in full bloom. Zoe stopped short, and put out her two hands confidently.

"For me?" she asked, I know it must be, for you heard me call it my favorite."

"And I have been ungallant enough to forget the fact. Pardon me, that I must refuse this one; it is otherwise promised."

"Oh!" she said, laughing to hide her confusion. "How fortunate that I didn't squander my gratitude! Auntie shall order me one like it, if I don't overrate my persuasive powers, Pray, pass on, Mr. Vavasour."

"First let me remind you of a promise to walk to the top of the cliff with me. How soon can you go?"

"Now, if you are not critical," she replied, with a shake of her rumpled flounces. "In ten minutes, if you prefer smooth curls and a fresh costume. There! I'll not put your choice to the test, but you may wait for me in the time named."

Glancing back as she skimmed up the stair-case, she saw him enter a door-way which did not communicate with his own apartments.

"Those rooms were vacant through the week," she thought. "I wonder who has taken them!—one of his friends perhaps."

She had quite forgotten the occurrence when she presently climbed the narrow pathway which led up the cliff, and stood with Vavasour, watching the light as it faded on the surface of the sea.

He was manifestly uneasy, and broke his subject with the abrupt haste of one who dreads to pass an unavoidable ordeal.

"Never mind the scene out there, Zoe. Who do you suppose is coming, to-night?"

"How should I know?" she asked laughingly. "You forget that our paths were the paths of strangers until we met here. You must enlighten me."

"I am expecting friends, and, with them, my wife. I hope you two will take to each other."

He would have gone on uttering common-places, but Zoe lifted her face, grey as ashes, to search his own with an agonized glance. Her half-hope that it might only be a cruel jest he was uttering was blotted out by the cowardly defiance she read there.

"Your wife! Heaven help me!" she murmured, huskily, and sank down at his feet in a stricken heap.

He thought she had fainted; but she shrank away from him when he would have raised her in his arms.

"Go away! Leave me alone!" she implored.

Vavasour shuddered as he glanced towards the precipice, a hundred feet down, with the sea rolling at its base.

"Will you go?" she demanded angrily.

"I am afraid you will do something rash. Oh, Zoe, Zoe! I never knew until now that I love you so! Forgive me, darling! my punishment is greater than I can bear!"

He covered his eyes with his hands, and groaned aloud. He was weak, vacillating, and in that moment really believed that life without her would be nothing more than a mere bleak waste of years.

The awakened bitterness was succeeded by an impulse, mad as it was sinful. He stooped over her, with impassioned entreaty in his tones; and that handsome, false face, whose beauty had gone so far to win her, lighted with a pleading glow.

"Zoe, darling, come to me! Life is nothing without you—fate would be cruel to part us. Forget what I have told you; let us defy all the world, and live only for each other!"

Slowly she rose up, with crimson flames leaping back into the pallid cheeks and lips, and the wide black eyes stained with unutterable longing.

"You love me like that?" she asked, those wistful eyes, fixed upon him with a reproach he could not fathom.

"Better than life itself, Zoe."

He stopped as if to caress her; and, with a quick motion, she put him between herself and that precipitous descent, with the sea at its base.

Her two hands fell upon his arm, light and fair as snowflakes, and her face was upturned with such a look as might have inspired a better man.

"I love you," she said, with a solemn earnestness that made him shrink and shiver, with chill dread. "You are cruel, but I love you! I never could live the life you propose, and I never can face the jeers and sneers of those who know how lightly you had won me. Fate would be cruel indeed, to part us now. Come!"

Her soft white arms twined about his neck, and her gaze riveted his with a fascination he could not brook even while he started with horror at the meaning he read in the wide-distended eyes.

The two figures wavered upon the edge of the cliff. He threw up his arms wildly, endeavored to shake her off, and then both went over the giddy height.

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The sea washed up its victims, their hair spangled with the glittering ocean sand and twined with clinging seaweed, her arms still clasping his neck as when they had fallen from the cliff.

And her face was ineffably calm; but his was stamped with horror and dread of an unsought death.

Startling and Fatal Effects of a Lightning Flash.

From the Richmond (Va.) Whig.

A fearful death by lightning occurred during the storm of Monday afternoon on the farm of Mr. Jos. A. Merrikin, about a mile from Staunton. Mrs. Merrikin, with two or three servants was having cherries gathered when the storm came up. She ordered the colored boy, about ten years of age, who was in the tree, to come down. He started, saying, "Well, my bucket is full," when the flash came. The boy was instantly killed in the position he stood, his face and one side being charred to crisp, and the arm in which he held the bucket torn open to the bone. His clothing was almost entirely burned off. A hog under the tree was killed. Mrs. Merrikin was stunned, and the flame seemed to those standing by to run over her clothing and circle round a ring she wore on her finger. Mr. Merrikin, who was some distance off, saw the smoke from the boy's clothing ascending from the tree. When he arrived he found the little fellow's body hanging naked in the tree, in exactly the same position in which he had been killed, with one arm hooked over a limb and the bucket hanging from the other, with the cherries still in it. It is a remarkable fact that Mrs. Merrikin heard no noise at all and saw no flame, while to those around and in Staunton, the crash was terrific. The boy was the son of Henry Lewis, living near the National Cemetery.

Norwegian girls, who have been doing kitchen work in Iowa at $3.50 a week, are hiring out to work in the harvest fields at from $2.00 to $3.00 a day.

SHOCKING ACCIDENT.

A Young Lady Burned in the Streets of Ogdensburg.

The following particulars of a most distressing and inexplicable accident we glean from the Ogdensburg, N. Y., Journal of the 12th inst: Miss Mary Ryan, a most amiable and respected young lady of that city, called at a house to give some music lessons, and her pupils not being at home she proceeded down the street a short distance, when she was accosted by a man who told her that her dress was on fire. When Miss Ryan discovered her condition she became terrified and ran across the street screaming fire. Several men who were on the street ran and endeavored to strip off her clothing, which was now completely enveloped in a sheet of flame which reached three feet above her head. They also procured woolen blankets, but with all their efforts they could not subdue the fire until every particle of her clothing was consumed. As soon as the fire burned out Miss Ryan walked into a house in a nude state, sat down upon a chair, saying "I'm terribly burned." Four physicians were promptly summoned, and they did everything that medical skill could suggest, but in vain. The accident occurred about 4:30, and at 8 she expired. Her limbs, body, arms, and face were burned to a crisp, so that the flesh peeled off in places, yet through all this suffering she retained her senses and conversed with those about her till a few minutes before death came to relieve her. She was engaged to be married to a young man who was absent attending the funeral of a sister, and who was summoned to her bedside, reaching it only an hour before her death. Her brother, who was absent at the time, returned a few minutes before her death, and the shock being so sudden, was almost prostrated. The most reasonable theory in regard to the fire is that it was communicated by a cigar stump, which is a terrible warning to smokers who carelessly throw their cigar stumps on the walk.

The Danbury Man on Paper Collars.

One of the saddest comings home is when the husband and father comes home to put on a paper collar. The last collar has resolved into pulpy rolls and come up back of his ears or disappeared within the recesses of his hair. The shirt band is moist and helpless and inclined to roll under, carrying the back button with it. His neck is wet and slippery, and all the windows are down, and the door is drawn to. By the time he has found the back button and got the collar hitched to it, it seems as if the air was about to stifle him, and as if he would suddenly melt and spoil the carpet. He sends up the windows with a snap, and kicks the blinds open with his foot, and brings that door back with a velocity that almost scares it. Then he goes to work to fasten one of the ends, and while he is at it the back button hole suddenly melts and dissolves. He tries another collar. Gets the back and one end fastened, commences work at the other end, and is about intoxicated with his success when the first end suddenly collapses. He sits down a few moments before trying the third collar, and wishes he really knew if there is a future punishment, and wonders where his wife is. Then he makes another trial with similar results, and finally dashes out of the house, saying that if he had nothing more to do than gadding to the neighbors he would make collars that his husband could wear. Fortunately his wife is next door learning a new crochet stitch, and does not hear him.

The Vicissitudes of Life.

The Chicago Inter-Ocean has followed the example of the New York Times in starting excursions into the country for poor people. That paper gives the following among some sketches of notable poor persons who took part in the excursion:

"Among those present was a Mrs. Y., a Spanish princess, She was born in England, her mother being a high-born Spaniard, and her father an English gentleman of wealth. She married an English clergyman, who went to Africa as a missionary, whither his wife accompanied him, and resided in Sierra Leone for some years. Health failing, they came to this country, and went to Chicago about eight years ago. About a year ago her husband disappeared, and has never been seen or heard of since, leaving her with three children and without a cent of means. Since then life with her has been a bitter and sad struggle. She has received aid from the Relief Society, but last month was the first that she has been able to pay her rent. The needle has been the means she has employed to feed her little ones and keep hunger from the door. She was educated in London, and is a lady of cultureand refinement. to whom life has always presented its brightest side until lately. Two of her children were with her.

Summer Blankets for Horses.

From the Carriage and Harness Journal.

Blanketing horses in summer has now become an acknowledged necessity, and light blankets are now an important portion of the harness maker's stock. The materials used for these are brown and bleached linen, scrims, flannel, and light cotton duck. Muslin sheets are also used, but these, as well as those made of duck, are not popular. Linen and flannel are the favorite goods; they cost more, but are durable and look well; twilled braid is used for binding and joining, and some of the finer qualities have monograms or the name of the horse worked on with very narrow braid of the same shade as the binding. Scrims is used more as a protection against flies than for any other purpose, and being very light and loosely woven, requires to be well bound and secured at the seams; a strip of leather should be stitched on under the braid, either on the back of the scrims or between it and the braid; the edge of the scrims must be turned in so that the outer row of stitches will pass through two thicknesses; if this is not done it will ravel, and the binding come of.

Wine Drinkers on a Strike.

Advices from Switzerland state that a strike of a new kind has just occurred in the commune of Begums (Vaud), and is likely to extend to the neighboring districts. It is that of the wine and beer drinkers. Two nights of frost caused some alarm as to the wine crop, and the proprieters of wine shops and cafes held a secret meeting and determined to raise the prices. The public, on its side, after consideration, decided upon abstaining from wine. The result is that all that class of establishments are entirely deserted, with the exception of an occasional thirsty passenger entering to ask for a glass of beer.

Can a tailor's child be said to be *sheer* neglect?

THE MAID OF THE MIST.

True Story of the Little Steamer of Niagara Falls.

Correspondence of the New York Mail.

The story of the Maid of the Mist I have never seen in print, not even in the guide books. As an instance of reckless daring, it cannot be surpassed. The captain of the boat was part owner of the craft. Business had not been good, and a few years ago the Maid had got into financial difficulties, and fell into the hands of the Sheriff. That officer remained on the boat all day and all night, but towards morning was induced to step on shore for a few moments. The instant he was safe on terra firma the captain gave the signal to swing off, and steam being up, the Maid of the Mist was quickly in the middle of the current.

The captain had conceived the bold idea of running down the stream and escaping to Lake Ontario. It appears that the engineer and fireman, the only two persons on board, were ignorant of this design, and thought they were merely crossing the river. It took but a few minutes for the vessel, aided by steam and current, to be whirled down the fearful torrent. She quickly passed the railroad suspension bridge, and soon was amid the fierce waves of the whirlpool, when the captain found that he could not, in the slightest degree, control her movements. The engineer—a good Baptist—fell to praying. The boat was whirled around, her smoke-stack fell, and the few persons who were witnesses of the scene gave her up for lost. In a few minutes, however, she emerged from the whirlpool and dashed on her way down the stream. The danger was over, and at this time the staunch little vessel is doing ferry duty somewhere in the vicinity of Kingston. The captain who thus imperiled his own life and that of his little crew was paid $500 for his pluck, besides procuring whatever advantage accrued to him from the escape of the steamer. The Baptist engineer, it is said, at first thought of suing for damages, but as he had only been frightened, he finally abandoned his intention.

A Wedding After Forty Years' Separation.

From the Ripley (Ohio) Bee.

Our town is all agog this morning over the wedding that is to be celebrated in a day or two between Aunt Vina Johnson, an old colored lady of our place, and a former husband from whom she has been separated for forty years.

Forty-three years ago Aunt Vina was the slave of a Mr. Johnson, in Fleming county, Ky., and was the wife of a Geo. Perry, also a slave, whose master lived in Mason county. He ran off and went to Canada, but returned and got his wife and child, and succeeded in reaching Chillocothe with them, where they were overtaken by Johnson and the wife and child taken back. She remained a slave until 1864. Not hearing from her husband, and supposing him dead, she married a man by the name of Jerry Johnson some four or five years after being taken back, but she was left a widow in a few years. She moved to Ripley soon after being set free. Perry, who has been living in Canada, until after the war, and since that time has been engaged in teaching school in Louisiana, wrote a letter to the son of Aunt Vina's master, in Kentucky, last March, inquiring whether she was alive or dead. Johnson wrote to Harry Armstrong of our place, Aunt Vina's son-in-law, and he answered that she was living here. Perry was at once advised, and he commenced a correspondence. Everything was satisfactory, and he wrote that he would be here on Monday night last. That Aunt Vina was all anxiety and in a fever of excitement, no one need be told. True to his promise, Perry arrived on Monday evening, and the meeting was a joyous one. They have determined to be re-married, and are making every preparation for that event.

Beecher in Defense of His Preaching.

In his last Friday evening talk, Mr. Beecher took up the charges of the Methodist Dr. Curry, that he preached an emasculated theology, that both from his pulpit and in his paper he was doing religion great harm, and said: "I never set up for a profound thinker or a founder of a system. I began to preach to save men. Sermons I have used as instructions. I treat theology as a physician treats medicine—give what I think is most needed. I have endeavored to use the truth, so that it shall produce loving epistles of God. I had no system that I was afraid to get out of. It is a thousand times more important to rouse men, to fire them up, than to keep to a routine of system. My system is the Bible system. I may have taken truths out of the Bible and used them. Now, the suggestion that my theology is weak may be true in a general sense—may be weak and erratic, different--but it it is our liberty to differ, and I have held royally to that liberty, and mean to. I feel the pulses, the wants, the yearnings of the time in which I live. Life may not be better, but it is different. If there has been a decline in Methodism, it has not been from imitating me, but it has been from their adapting themselves to the time. No minister has a right to set himself up and say: "Here, I am to run this machine; if you can get converted, you may." There must be living men to teach live men live truths. That is the trouble--want of adaptation. It is how to preach men out of animalism into truth and life For himself he would say that he never preached a sermon without having Christ in it. He knew that he had religion, and that the people needed it, and he had the boldness to tell them where they might get it.

An Exciting Scene on the Plains.

From the Denver News.

Out on the plains, about two hundred miles from Denver, is a vertical bluff seventy-five feet high. A party of hunters recently stampeded a herd of buffaloes right to the brink of the precipice. The foremost brutes, appreciating their critical situation, attempted to avert the calamity, but the frightened hundreds behind crowded forward with characteristic persistency. The front rank, with legs stretched toward each cardinal point of the compass, bellowed in concert, and descended to their fate. Before the pressure from behind could be stopped, the next rank followed, imitating the gesture and the bellowing of the first. For 30 seconds it rained buffaloes, and the white sand at the foot of that bluff was incarnadine with the lifeblood of wild meat, and not until the tails of fifty or seventy-five of that herd had waved adieu to this wicked world did the movement cease.

At a meeting of master builders in London, from all parts of England, it was resolved to meet any partial strike by the men, for the additional half-penny per hour now demanded, by a general lockout of the employes in England.

Praise.

Clover Blossom, tell me true,
Why was your perfume given to you?

"That all might know," the flower confessed,
"How God blesses the lowliest."

Robin-redbreast, let me hear
Wherefore your voice is so sweet and clear?

"A thankful heart," then whistled he,
"Is the secret of all melody."

Smiling corn-field, speak me fair,
How did you come by your yellow hair?

"When the sun gave me kiss after kiss,
What return could I make but this?"

Stars illuming the depth of night,
Where did you borrow your kindly light?

"From the fountain whence all beauty flows
A drop was given to us that glows."

Brooklet, running away in the sun,
Where did you gather your bubbles, each one?

"God's snows and rains have lent unto me
That which I hasten to give to the sea."

Where did you find the colors seven
That paint your picture, rainbow in heaven?

"When first God said 'Let light begin,'
These were the colors that entered in."

General Items.

Parties who "round" on you very often try to make you think they mean "square."

A Toledo paper fixes the wealth of the late Horace F. Clark, at $25,000,000.

Lager beer is twenty-five cents a glass at Bismarck, Minn., and the place builds up very slowly.

Mr. Moses Dupont, of Holyoke, Mass., and his twenty-three brothers have between them, 322 children.

"I have a fresh cold," said a gentleman to his acquaintance. "Why do you have a fresh one? Why don't you have it cured?"

Boy: "Box of lights, sir?" Gent: "Naw! I don't smoke!" Boy. "Yer don't! Buy a box, then, and I'll learn you."

Algernon Ethelred: "What do you think of my new portrait? They have made me precious ugly, haven't they?" Constantia Lavinia: "Yes, they have, very; but it is a splendid likeness."

A young man in San Francisco found an old deacon he knew "bucking the tiger" in a gambling hell. "What," he exclaimed, "Deacon, you here?" "Yes," was the reply, "I am bound to break down this wicked institution."

A traveler in Wales, seeing a sign over the door with this one word "Agorsequrder," asked the woman what she sold, when she said she did not sell anything, but that "agues was cured here."

"Jenny," said a Scotch minister stooping from his pulpit, "have you a pin about ye?"

"Yes, minister."

"Then stick it into that sleeping brute by your side."

Said Landor, "I have no ailments, but why should I? I have eaten well prepared food; I have drunk light, subacid wines, and three glasses instead of ten; I have liked modest better than immodest women, and I have never tried to make a shilling in the world."

Herr Rubinstein, the pianist and composer, arrived in London from New York on the 14th inst., and left the same evening for St. Petersburg. He played during his American tour at 215 concerts, with unprecedented success, and he speaks highly of the intelligence of the trans-atlantic audiences.

The most appalling case of deafness that we ever came across outside of an asylum was that of an old lady who lives just across the street from the Navy Yard. The other day they fired a salute of twenty-one guns. The old lady was observed to start and listen as the last gun was fired, and then she exclaimed, "Come in!"

"How on earth do you manage?" asked a gentleman of two inseparable loungers. "You are always together, you never do anything, and yet you always have plenty of money."

"Simplest thing in the world, my dear fellow," was the candid reply. "We borrow of one another."

The members of the Metropolitan Board of Works of London recently got themselves into a pecuniary scrape. At the recent thanksgiving at St. Paul's they spent £4,000 in providing accommodation for themselves and their friends. Now this expenditure is declared to be illegal, and each member must pay £150.

A New York Central Railway conductor seized a nobby dressed young fellow who had dropped an insulting note in a lady's lap on his train the other day, dragged him from his seat, and led him by the ear through the train to the smoking car, where he bade him remain. The passengers enjoyed the young reprobate's discomfiture.

A youth of nineteen lately fled from Dodson, Ohio, to escape the clutches of an enamored girl of twenty-two. At Rockfield, Indiana, he received this telegram: "Get up and dust. Sal's on your track close. He "dusted" forthwith, but she came up with him in an obscure Illinois town, and led him back home and to the altar.

That was a good, though a rather severe, pun which was made by a student in one of our theological seminaries (and he was not one of the brightest of the class either), when he asked, "Why is Professor—— the greatest revivalist of the age?" and on all "giving it up," said, "Because at the close of every sermon there is a great awakening."

It is well known that the average Western Congressman seldom opens his moth without "putting his foot in it;" and now this unfortunate proclivity seems to be extending to the nobler animals, an Iowa horse having nearly choked himself to death by getting one of his hoofs down his throat.

City Friend—"Up in town all by yourself, eh? Where's the missus?"

Good old Soul—"Oh, she be mortal bad abed, poor thing!"

Friend—"That 'll spoil your holiday, eh?"

Good old Soul—"Well, no, sir; if she pops off suddenly they're to write up and let me know."

At a late examination of civil service candidates a question was put to them as to the meaning of "hypothesis." One candidate answered that he didn't remember of ever hearing the word before, but it sounded to him "as though it meant the twist which the head of the department puts on his subordinates when wants them to 'come down' for election expenses.'

The boy who wrote the composition on the horse, describing him as an animal with four legs which goes fast, has been sadly undeceived since reaching maturer years. He now finds that they average about three legs apiece that are good for anything; and, instead of going fast, generally stand still, with their legs in red flannel, consuming oats and producing doctors' bills.

On an Intaglio Head of Minerva.

BY T. B. ALDRICH.

The cunning hand that carved this face,
A little helmeted Minerva—
The hand, I say, ere Phidias wrought,
Had lost its subtle skill and fervor.

Who was he? Was he glad or sad,
Who knew to carve in such a fashion?
Perchance he shaped this dainty head
For some brown girl that scorned his passion.

But he is dust; we may not know
His happy or unhappy story;
Nameless, and dead these thousand years,
His work outlives him—there's his glory!

Both man and jewel lay in earth
Beneath a lava-buried city;
The thousand summers came and went,
With neither haste, nor hate, nor pity.

The years wiped out the man, but left
The jewel fresh as any blossom,
Till some Viscount dug it up
To rise and fall on Mabel's bosom!

O Roman brother! see how True
Your gracious handiwork has guarded;
See how your loving, patient art,
Has come, at last, to be rewarded!

Who would not suffer slights of men,
And pangs of hopeless passion also,
To have his carven agate-stone
On such a bosom rise and fall so!

Atlantic for August.

FARM AND HOUSEHOLD.

A Varied Diet for Fowls.

There are no animals more omnivorous than fowls; fish, flesh, herbs, and grains being devoured by them with equal relish. We say equal, for though they commonly pounce upon meat with greater avidity than grain, this is generally because it affords a rarity, and a flock kept for awhile almost entirely on animal food will show the same greed for a few handfuls of corn.

The fondness for variety shown by fowls is as significant of real needs as we have found it to be in ourselves. In purveying for them, a judicious variety, selected from the three general divisions—fresh vegetables, grain and animal food—is at all seasons absolutely necessary for young and old in order to make them perfectly thrifty. True, they will not starve on hard corn and water; neither will they pay a profit to keep.

Mildew on Vines.

From investigations made at the Department of Agriculture by Thomas Taylor, who is conducting the microscopic investigations on fungoids, or mildew, as we learn that a preparation of carbolic acid soap, used as a wash, is a means of preventing and destroying these minute parasites. A solution of sulphuret of lime or carbolic soap, destroys the seedpores. Mr. Taylor found that the grapes might be trimmed ever so closely, still enough of the seed is left to develop rapidly wherever heat was applied sufficient to start them into vegetation. It was found that dry heat developed the European mildew (*Erysiphe Tuckeri*) very rapidly, and that moist heat was favorable to the growth of the American mildew (*Botrytis viticola*). The trimmings and leaves of vines in grape-houses should be gathered up and burned, and it appears that the vines when trimmed should be washed carefully with the solution of sulphuret of lime and carbolic acid, and thus the spread of mildew may be materially checked.

Apples as a Preventive of Cholera.

Edmund Osborne, Greentown, Ind., writes to the Northwestern Farmer: "A few years ago, rather by accident than otherwise, a part of my hogs got into the orchard, and as I found they were doing a good work in picking up the windfall apples, I allowed them to remain there. During the season all those that were not in the orchard had the cholera, and more or less of them died, while those in the orchard—something like one-third of the whole lot—were thrifty and healthy all the season, none of them dying with any disease, and that, too, with nothing but a fence between the two lots of hogs."

There is no doubt that, in its season, fruit is conducive to the health of animals, especially to such gross feeders as swine. So far as it promotes general health it assists the system in throwing off disease, but it can scarcely be regarded as a preventive or a specific cure for any particular complaint.—*National Live Stock Journal.*

Care of Horses.

All horses must not be fed in the same proportions, without regard to their ages, their constitutions, and their work. The impropriety of such a practice is self-evident; yet it is constantly done, and is the basis of disease of every kind. Never use bad hay on account of its cheapness, because there is no proper nourishment in it. Damaged corn is exceedingly injurious, because it brings on inflammation of the bowels and skin diseases. Chaff is better for old horses than hay, because they can chew and digest it better. Mix chaff with corn or beans, and do not give the latter alone, because it makes the horse chew his food more and digest it better. Hay or grass alone will not support a horse under hard work, because there is not sufficient nutritive body in either. When a horse is worked hard its food should be chiefly oats—if not worked hard its food should be chiefly hay—because oats supply more nourishment and flesh-making material than any other kind of food; nay not so much. For a saddle or coach horse half a peck of sound oats and eighteen pounds of good hay are sufficient. If the hay is not good, add a quarter of a peck more oats. A horse that works harder may have rather more of each; one that works little should have less. Rack feeding is wasteful. The better plan is to feed with chopped hay from the manger, because the food is not then thrown about, and is more easily chewed and digested. Sprinkle the hay with water that has salt dissolved in it, because it is pleasant to the animal's taste, and more easily digested. A teaspoonful of salt in a bucket of water is sufficient. Oats should be bruised for an old horse, but not for a young one, because the former, through age and defective teeth, cannot chew them properly, the young horse can do so, and thus properly mixed with saliva and turned into wholesome nutriment.

How to Say Whoa.

A correspondent of the Iowa Homestead puts it in this way:

"In breaking a colt it is necessary to teach him to stop at the word whoa. Not only should one and the same word be used, but one and the same tone. The colt that has been broken to stop at the firm, low tone of command, is not likely to stop at the word uttered in a high key.

When a man hallocs 'Who-oo-a' in a wild tone of affright, that would make the hair rise on the head of a marble statue, and that sends the women of the neighborhood to their doors shrieking 'what's the matter,' a colt is very apt to feel nervous.

When a man snarls "Whoa-sir-r-r sir," through his teeth,, as if he would say, "Stand still, you brute, or I'll tear your heart out," the cry counteracts not only the effect of early training but of those powerful opiates, old age and starvation, and even the poorest old crowbait is ready to repeat the runaway scrapes of his early youth.

The imploring tone, "Who-oh, who-oh," ending with a note of despair, "Do stand still. I know you won't. Oh, I shall be killed!" might as well be addressed to a railroad corporation as a horse.

The loving tone, "Who-ee, who-ee, sweet little bonny horse; do-ee stand still, that's a darling," is wasted, unless one has oats, salt, or sugar, which are never at hand in a pinch, when wanted.

The shrill, feminine cry, "whaw, whaw," like the squawk of a hen caught by the leg, invariably screamed by the inexperienced female, when a driving rein or hold breaks, is alarming in the extreme to a high tempered animal.

A tone of fear or rage imparts fear to the horse. To govern one well, a man must have mastery over himself. No matter what the emergency, nor how much there is to excite fear and anger, the tone employed must be that of one fully master of the situation, not only free from passion himself, but at liberty to soothe the fears of his trembling dependent. The tone, in short, must be that of a king, firm as of one that does not contemplate disobedience—gentle, but conveying a sense of absolute power."

Fight the Weeds.

Farming would be tolerably plain sailing if it were not for the multitude of weeds that crowd into the cultivated grounds in their struggle for life. A weed is properly enough defined as "a plant out of place," so that any plant, however desirable it may be where it is wanted, may be regarded as a weed if it persists in growing where something else is wanted. A grass in the garden among the growing plants, is a weed just as much as the Roman wormwood, however valuable it may be on a moving lot.

But all such plants out of place, are now doing their best to crowd out the cultivated plants of the garden and the farm, and they require us to keep up a constant warfare. The worst of it is that if we let them get the upper hand they shed their seeds to make the labor all the worse. The main crop of weeds starts with the corn, and if the surface is stirred early in dry weather, it is easily destroyed. The sooner the pests are taken the better; but during the first week or ten days of their life, the difficulty of handling them is increased but little. They are easily torn from their roots or buried. But their hold on the soil soon grows more firm, their tenacity of life is greatly increased, and it requires not only greater power to eradicate them, but they will bring up with them great quantities of earth, and injure other plants that grow near them.

Where land is very weedy, or "foul" as it is termed, summer fallowing is about the best course of treatment. The first crop of weeds is plowed under before there is any danger of sowing their seeds, when another crop will spring up from the freshly turned earth. Repeated plowings and harrowings will exhaust whatever reserved force there may be in the weeds and make the work of subsequent years much less arduous, and leave the soil in a light and friable condition. This will somewhat enrich it also by the decay of vegetable material that is thus turned in, while it will greatly promote the weathering process by which the mineral elements of the soil are made available for plant food. An occasional fallow is very useful.

When weeds are full grown, as there will always be patches on the farm, the best use to put them to is to cut them before the seed is ripe enough to germinate, and use them as mulch around fruit trees.—*Mass. Ploughman.*

Valuable Recipes.

NICE CAKE.—Take seven ounces flour, five ounces sugar, three ounces butter, two eggs, one pound raisins, one and a half cups milk, one teaspoonful soda. Spice to the taste.

CHAPPED HANDS.—In a healthy condition the skin is kept supple by an oily secretion, which answers the same purpose as oiling leather. During warm weather this secretion, in common with all the other secretions of the skin, is more abundant than in cold. When it is insufficient the skin becomes dry and harsh; and in those parts of the body where the skin is thick and subject to much motion, as on the hands, it readily cracks or fissures. The amount of this secretion is so much reduced in cold weather that the frequent washing of the hands with soap causes them to chap readily, and this the more certainly if the soap is not thoroughly washed off. The alkali in soap is usually in excess, and this combines with the oily secretion, and so deprives the skin of its natural lubricator. To prevent the hands from chapping, then, be careful to wash all soap from them thoroughly in clean water. This will ordinarily suffice; but if not, it will be necessary to make good the removed oil by the use of glycerine, honey, mutton tallow, etc.

COURT PLASTER. To make court plaster, soak isinglass in a little warm water for twenty-four hours; then evaporate nearly all of the water by a gentle heat, dissolve the residue in a little proof spirits of wine, and strain the whole through a piece of open linen. The strained mass should be a stiff jelly when cool. Now extend a pieces of silk on a wooden frame and fit it tight with tacks and woolen thread. Melt the jelly and apply it to the silk thinly and evenly with a hair brush. A second coating must be applied when the first is dried. When the whole is dry cover the surface with two or three coatings of balsam of Peru. Plaster thus made is very pliable and never breaks.

ETCHING on copper, silver, and brass, by means of nitric acid, has the inconvenience of disengaging nitrous vapors. This, in addition to the injury to the health and comfort of the operators, often penetrates under the protecting layer of wax or paraffine, and thus produces an undesired action. Erckman recommends the use of chromic acid as not being liable to this inconvenience. The action is much slower, but the operator is not rendered uncomfortable, and the engraving is much more clear and sharp. We have not given this acid a practical test yet, but if it will work well for stencil etching, it will be a great improvement on the old way. The chromic acid is prepared by dissolving 150 parts of bichromate of potash in 800 parts of warm water, then add 200 parts of sulphuric acid.

A MAN in Scott county, Ky., has been tried three times for the same murder. First, he was sentenced to five years' imprisonment, next to two years, and the third time acquitted.

Think of Me.

Not when thy heart with mirth is light,
And friends around thee smile;
When on thy path the sun beats bright,
And earthly joys beguile;

Not when thou'st yielded to the spell
Of music's soothing power,
Nor when the chilling word "Farewell"
Bespeaks the parting hour—

But when thy heart is weary, Love,
And all seems dark to thee,
Oh, let one sunbeam pierce the gloom,
And that my memory.

When hearts you trust a mask unfold
It chills thine own to see,
Then nestle closer to mine own,
For I'll be true to thee.

And when the world is cold and stern,
And darkly frowns on thee,
Then from its heartlessness, O turn,
And cherish, cherish me.

Feeding a Lunatic Patient Through the Nose.

The current report of the Belfast Hospital for the Insane contains an account of a remarkable case of a woman who had, with the utmost pertinacity, refused all food or drink. For nearly three weeks after her admission, says the report, she continued this resistance, during which time it was necessary to feed her forcibly, in order to prevent her sinking from inanition. This was accomplished very successfully, though with great difficulty, by means of a small glass tun dish, or funnel, introduced into one nostril, the other being firmly closed, as well as the mouth, while she lay on a mattress, her hands and feet being kept confined by attendants to prevent struggling, and thus small quantities of the strongest nourishment, together with stimulants, such as brandy and milk, yolks of eggs, beef essence, etc., were administered three or four times at short intervals during the 24 hours, till she came round gradually to take food of her own accord, and lost all her delusions; and in the course of a couple of months afterward returned to her family quite restored in mental and physical health.

AN ACT OF JUSTICE.—Doubting Castle was a sad stumbling block in the path of Bunyan's Christian, though it couldn't bar his way to Truth. We can sympathize with the Pilgrim, for Doubt always besets us when we are asked to believe anything particularly extraordinary. Consequently, when we heard, some eighteen months ago, that a physician in California had compounded, from the juices and extracts of certain herbs found there, a medicine that cured almost every variety of blood disease, we were incredulous. Since then we have had opportunities of testing the accuracy of the report, and are free to admit that our doubts have vanished. Seeing what we have seen, knowing what we know, it is impossible for us to question the remedial properties of DR. WALKER'S VINEGAR BITTERS. That this famous vegetable Tonic, Alterative, and Antiseptic is a specific for Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint, Chronic Constipation, Fever and Ague, Bilious Intermittents, Scrofulous Taint in the Blood, incipient Consumption, Local and General Debility, Rheumatism, Sick Headache, and Diseases of the Kidneys, seems to be a matter beyond the pale of controversy—*a fixed fact in medical history.* The statements of friends, in whose veracity and intelligence we have full confidence, corroborated by our own personal observation, compel us to admit the surpassing merits of the preparation.—Com.

THE steamship Atlantic, after having successfully encountered violent storms, was wrecked when almost in sight of the harbor she was seeking. Many a man has acquired a fortune by patient industry, and lost it at the last, leaving his family destitute. It follows that every man should insure his life. Life insurance affords absolute protection to the family. Be careful to select a good company—one that you can always depend upon. The New York Life Insurance Company offers every inducement to insurers, having assets amounting to $22,000,000, and every desirable form of policy. Full particulars can be had by addressing the home office at 346 and 348 Broadway, New York, or by calling on one of their agents. Good agents wanted everywhere.—Com.

A ST. LOUIS clerk tried to get up a corner in the chicken market one day last week. He has been driving half the clerks on the thoroughfare wild with envy by a magnificent cluster diamond ring. One morning, while at Lucas Market, his hand rested on a chicken coop, and a curious cackler went for his ring and plucked out and swallowed the largest diamond in the cluster. It is unnecessary to say that he purchased that coop of chickens at the dealer's own price. He says he will have that diamond if his family are compelled to ate chickens all summer.

LISZT'S new oratorio, "Christ," is said said to be quite a departure from the school of Wagner. The work is in four parts: "Christmas," "After the Epiphany," "The Passion" and "The Resurrection.

PAIN-KILLER—ITS MERITS.

ASIATIC CHOLERA IN CHINA.

TUNGCHOW, China, Aug. 23.

Messrs. PERRY DAVIS & SON:

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A DISASTROUS FAILURE.

The Mormon Arizona Colony Returning—Their Mission a Failure.

The San Francisco (Arizona) Mormon mission, protected by Brigham Young, to settle in that Territory and build that section of Tom Scott's railway, has proved a disastrous and complete failure. The entire colony of more than 700 are on their way home to Utah again. Many have already arrived, and others remained on the other side of the Colorado River for want of boats, which are lost, to cross. The emigrants experienced terrible suffering. The character of the country was completely misrepresented. It was sterile, water and pasturage scarce, and nothing short of the Apache country came up the representation, and the colony refused to take the chances of massacre by the Indians. On their return the emigrants were compelled to throw away stoves and all heavy articles to enable them to reach water and feed for their teams. The condition of the people and train was extremely sad. The result has shaken faith in the infallibility of the head of the church as an inspired prophet.

A Relic.

While the laborers in the employ of the Boston War Department were engaged in digging through the sidewalk on the East side of Beacon street, near the Common, and directly opposite Joy street, they unearthed an ancient gravestone, which, upon being cleaned, showed the following inscription:

"Deborah Wife
of Samuel Davis
Aged 27 years
Died the 2 of
November 1673.
George Davis theyer
Child Aged 6 dayes."

The stone was taken to the office of the Water Department, at City Hall, where it may be seen.

Symptoms of Catarrh.

Dull, heavy headache, obstruction of nasal passages, discharge falling into throat, sometimes profuse, watery, acrid, thick, and tenacious mucous, purulent, muco-purulent, bloody, putrid, offensive, etc. In others a dryness, dry, watery, weak or inflamed eyes, ringing in ears, deafness, hawking and coughing to clear throat, ulcerations, scabs from ulcers, voice altered, nasal twang, offensive breath, impaired smell and taste, dizziness, mental depression, tickling cough, etc. Only a few of the above symptoms are likely to be present in any case at one time. No disease is more common or less understood by physicians. The proprietor of DR. SAGE'S CATARRH REMEDY will pay $500 reward for a case of Catarrh which he cannot cure. Sold by Druggists at 50 cents. 649

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SUMMONS.

State of Minnesota, Dist. Court, }
Eighth Judicial Dist, }
County of Carver }

Anton Fritz against R. P. Russell.

The State of Minnesota, To the above named defendant:

You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in the above entitled action, which has been filed in the office of the Clerk of this Court, at Chaska in said County, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscribers at their office in chaska in the county of carver in the state of Minnesota within twenty days after the service of this Summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the Plaintiff in this action will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the said complaint.

Dated July 22d A. D. 1873.

BAXTER & PECK,
Plaintiff's Atty's Chaska Minn.

State of Minnesota. }
County of Carver, } S. S.
In Probate Court. }

In the matter of the estate of Frederick Elling deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Bertha Elling whereby it appears among other things that Frederick Elling died intestate in said Co, on or about July 3d 1873, leaving real and personal property in said county and that said petitioner is the widow of said deceased, and praying that the said petitioner may be appointed the administratrix of the estate of said deceased. Ordered that the said petition be heard and that notice to all persons interested in the estate of said deceased to be and appear before the Probate Court at chaska in said county on the 16th day of August 1873 at 11 o'clock [illegible] of said day to show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted. Ordered further that [illegible] give public notice of the pendency of said petition, and the time and place of hearing, the same by publishing this order in the Valley Herald three weeks previous to said day of hearing.

Chaska July, 23d 1873.

J. A. SARGENT, Judge Probate.

Execution Sale.

By virtue of an execution issued out of and under the seal of the Dist. Court of Carver Co, Minnesota upon a judgment therein rendered on the 27th day of March 1872 in an action wherein L. L. Baxter & H. J. Peck [illegible] as Baxter & Peck are plaintiffs and John Neumann defendant for the sum of $[illegible] and costs, in favor of said plaintiffs and against said defendants. I have levied upon the following described land and real estate situate in Carver Co Minn viz: the south west quarter & the west half of the west [illegible] quarter of section [illegible] twenty six 26 Township 117, Range 26 [illegible] [illegible]

Dated May 21st 1873.

F. [illegible],
Sheriff of Carver Co. Minn.

State of Minnesota, }
County of Carver. } S. S.
In Probate Court. }

In the matter of the estate of Wesley Blackketter Sr. deceased.

Whereas an instrument in writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Wesley Blackketter deceased late of said county has been delivered to this court.

And whereas [illegible] Blackketter the widow of said deceased, has filed therewith her petition representing among other things that said deceased was a resident of said county at the time of his death, and praying that the said instrument may be admitted to Probate, and that letters testamentary be issued to [illegible] of Watertown in said county. It is ordered that the proofs of said instrument and the petition be heard before this court at the Probate Court room in the court house in Chaska in said county on the 11th day of August 1873 at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day when all concerned may appear and contest the probate of said instrument, and to show cause, if any they have, why the said Hainlin should not be appointed the executor of the last will and testament of said deceased.

Ordered further that notice thereof be given to all persons interested in the estate of said deceased by publishing a copy of this order for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing in the Valley Herald a weekly newspaper printed and published at Chaska in said county.

Dated at chaska the 2d day of July 1873

J. A. SARGENT, Judge Probate.

Notice Mortgage Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage dated and made executed and delivered by John Dunn and Maria Dunn mortgagors on the third day of July A. D. 1871 to Levi Pierce mortgagee and duly recorded on the fifth day of July A. D. 1871 at 2 o'clock P. M. in the office of the Register of Deeds of Carver county Minnesota in Book "G" of mortgages on page 459, mortgaging the following described property situated in carver county Minnesota, to-wit:

The south east quarter ¼ of section eight (8) Township one hundred and sixteen (116) of Range twenty six (26). Also the south west quarter (¼) of section eleven (11) Township one hundred and sixteen (116) of Range twenty (26) containing three hundred and twenty acres more or less.

Upon which said mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of [illegible] thousand and forty three dollars and sixty [illegible] cents, and no proceedings at law having been had to collect the sum or any part thereof.

Now therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained and of the statute in such cases made and provided the aforesaid mortgaged premises will be sold at public auction by the sheriff of carver county Minnesota to the highest bidder for cash on Saturday the 12th day of July A. D. 1873 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of said day at the front door of the Court House in the Town of Chaska in said county to satisfy the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage and the costs and expenses of foreclosure and sale.

Dated Carver Minn. May 29th 1873.

LEVI PIERCE Mortgagee.
W[illegible]ER & FOWLER, Atty's. for Mortgagee.

Mortgage Foreclosure.

Whereas default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date May 13th, 1872, made and executed by John [illegible] of Watertown Carver Co. Minnesota of the first part and Napoleon Steinmetz of Carver Co Minnesota party of the second part and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said county of carver on the 24th day of [illegible] A. D. 1872 at 2 o'clock p. m., in book "G" of mortgages pages 5[illegible]8 and which said mortgage contained the following pieces or parcels of land lying and being in the county of carver, [illegible] of Minnesota, to-wit:

The south west quarter of the north west quarter of section number four in Township one hundred and seventeen of Range twenty five [illegible]; out lot number forty nine in the village of Watertown as surveyed by E. H. Blanding and a plat thereof having been duly placed on file of record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said county of carver. And whereas there is due at the date of this notice on said mortgage the sum of one hundred and [illegible] dollars and five cents, and no proceedings at law, or otherwise having been had to recover said sum or any portion thereof. Now therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of a power of sale in said mortgage contained and pursuant to the statutes in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of said mortgaged premises at public auction to the highest bidder for cash by the sheriff of said county of carver on Friday the [illegible] day of July A. D. 1873 at 1 o'clock P. M. of said day to satisfy said sum interest and costs of sale and twenty five dollars attorney fees stipulated in said mortgage.

Chaska, May 25th 1873.

NAPOLEON STEINMETZ, Mortgagee.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure.

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the condition of a certain mortgage dated April 26 A. D. 1872 made and executed by Lorenz Goltz and John Garasak of Carver Co. Minnesota of the first part, and Napoleon Steinmetz of same place party of second part, which said mortgage was duly recorded in the office of Register of Deeds in and for said county of carver on the 9th day of May A. D. 1872 in book "G" of mortgages page 5[illegible] and which said mortgage conveyed the following pieces and parcels of land lying and being in said County of Carver and State of Minnesota, to wit:

The south west quarter (¼) of the north west quarter (¼) of section four (4) in Township one hundred and seventeen [117] of Range twenty five [25], containing forty acres more or less — And also out lot forty nine [49] in the village of Watertown as surveyed by E. H. Blanding Esq and a plat thereof duly placed on file of record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said county of carver.

And whereas there is now due at the date of this notice, on said mortgage the sum of five hundred and thirty seven and 50-100 dollars. [$537.50] and no proceedings at law, or otherwise having been made to recover said sum or any portion thereof. Now therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of a power of sale in said mortgage contained and pursuant to statute in such case made and provided the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of said mortgaged premises at public auction to the highest cash bidder by the sheriff of said county of carver at the front door of the court house in Chaska in said county of carver on the 11th day of July A. D. 1873 at two o'clock of said day to satisfy said sum, interest and cost of sale, and the further sum of twenty five dollars attorney fees as provided in said mortgage.

Dated at Chaska May 27th 1873.

NAPOLEON STEINMETZ Mortgagee.

SUMMONS.

State of Minnesota, }
County of Carver, } S. S.

The State of Minnesota To the Sheriff or any constable of said County. You are hereby commanded to attach the goods and chattels, moneys effects and credits of John Kattere or so much thereof as shall be sufficient to satisfy the sum of $7. with interest and cost of suit whoever hands or possession the same may be found in your County and so provide that the goods and chattels so attached may be subject to further proceedings thereon as the law requires and also to summons the said John Kattere if to be found, to be and appear at my office in said County on the 31st day of May A. D 1873, at 10 o'clk in the forenoon to answer to Joseph Winninghoff in a civil action to his damage one hundred dollars or under.

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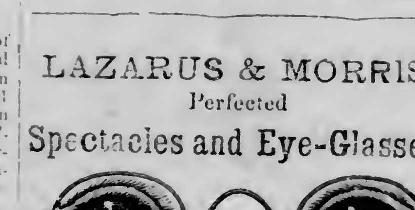

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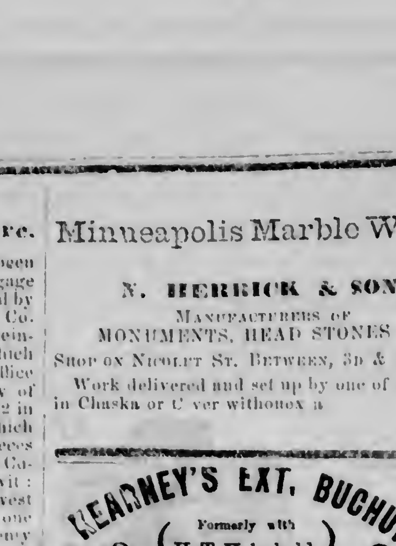

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A STAMP.

denoting the payment of said Special Tax before commencing business.

The taxes embraced within the provisions of law above quoted are the following viz:

Rectifiers	$200 00
Dealers, retail liquor	25 00
Dealers, wholesale liquor	100 00
Dealers in malt liquors, wholesale	50 00
Dealers in malt liquors retail	20 00
Dealers in leaf tobacco	25 00
Retail dealers in leaf tobacco	500 00
and on sales of over $1,000, fifty cents for every dollar in excess of $1,000,	
Dealers in manufactured tobacco	5 00
Manufacturers of stills	50 00
and for each still or worm manufactured	20 00
Manufacturers of tobacco	10 00
Manufacturers of cigars	10 00
Peddlers of tobacco, first class, [more than two horses]	50 00
Peddlers of tobacco second class, (two horses)	25 00
Peddlers of tobacco, third class, (1 horse)	15 00
Peddlers of tobacco, fourth class, (on foot or public conveyance	10 00
Brewers of less than 500 barrels	50 00
Brewers of 500 barrels or more	100 00

Any person who shall fail to comply with the foregoing requirements will be subject to severe penalties.

Special-tax Payers throughout the United States are reminded that they must make application to the Collector of their respective districts and procure the proper stamp for the Special Tax Year, commencing May 1, 1873, without waiting for further notice.

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Probate Notice.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
COUNTY OF CARVER, }
IN PROBATE COURT. } S. S.

In the matter of the estate of John Gustafs n, deceased. On reading and filing the petition of Josephine C. Gustafson and Wilhelmanna Gustafson, praying for reasons therein set forth that Henry R. Denny of Carver in said county be appointed the administratrix of the said deceased.

It is ordered that said petitioner be heard before the Judge of said Court, on the 6th day of August 1873 at one o'clock P. M. of said day at the Probate Court room in Chaska in said Co.

Ordered further that notice thereof be given to the heirs of said deceased and to all persons interested by publishing a copy of this order for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing in the Valley Herald a weekly newspaper printed and published at Chaska in said County.

Dated at Chaska July 10th 1873.
By the Court.

J. A. SARGENT, Judge Probate.

Notice to Town Assessors

The different Township Assessors of the County of Carver, are hereby notified to meet at the County Auditors office, at the Court House, Chaska, at 11 o'clk on Saturday the 31st day of May next 1873. Each assessor is expected to be present at the above time, as business of importance is expected to come before said meeting.

Chaska, April 31st 1873

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SUMMONS.

State of Minnesota, Dist. Court, Eighth Judicial Dist. County of Carver }

Anton Fritz against R. P. Russell.

The State of Minnesota, To the above named defendant:

You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in the above entitled action, which has been filed in the office of the Clerk of this Court, at Chaska in said County, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscribers, at their office in chaska in the county of carver in the State of Minnesota within twenty days after the service of this Summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service, and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the Plaintiff in this action will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the said complaint.

Dated July 22d A. D. 1873.

BAXTER & PECK,
Plaintiff's Atty's Chaska Minn.

State of Minnesota.
County of Carver, } S. S.
In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Frederick Elling deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Bertha Elling whereby it appears among other things that Frederick Elling died intestate in said Co., on or about July 3d 1873, leaving real and personal property in said county and that said petitioner is the widow of said deceased, and praying that the said petitioner may be appointed the administratrix of the estate of said deceased. Ordered that the said petitioner give notice to all persons interested in the estate of said deceased to be and appear before the Probate Court at chaska in said county on the 18th day of August 1873 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of said day to show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted. Ordered further that said petitioner give public notice of the pendency of said petition, and the time and place of hearing the same by publishing this order in the Valley Herald three weeks previous to said day of hearing.

Chaska July, 23d 1873.

J. A. SARGENT, Judge Probate.

Execution Sale.

By virtue of an execution issued out of and under the seal of the Dist. Court of Carver Co. Minnesota upon a judgment therein rendered on the 27th day of March 1872 in an action wherein L. L. Baxter & H. J. Peck partners as Baxter & Peck are plaintiffs and John N Johnson defendant for the sum of $370 86 and costs, in favor of said plaintiffs and against said defendants. I have levied upon the following described land and real estate situate in said Carver Co Minn viz: the south west quarter & the west half of the west half of the south east quarter of the north east quarter section twenty six 26. Township 117, Range 26, also the north west quarter and the west half of the [illegible]

Dated May 21st 1873.

F. HECKLIN.
Sheriff of Carver Co. Minn.

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver. } S. S.
In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Wesley Blackketter Sr. deceased.

Whereas an instrument in writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Wesley Blackketter deceased late of said county has been delivered to this court.

And whereas [illegible] Blackketter the widow of said deceased, has filed therewith her petition representing among other things that said deceased was a resident of said county at the time of his death, and praying that said instrument may be admitted to Probate, and that letters testamentary be issued to Ernest Hainlin Esq. of Watertown in said county. It is ordered that the proofs of said instrument and the petition be heard before this court at the Probate court room in the court house in Chaska in said county on the 4th day of August 1873 at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day when all concerned may appear and contest the probate of said instrument, and to show cause, if any they have, why the said Hainlin should not be appointed the executor of the last will and testament of said deceased.

Ordered further that notice thereof be given to all persons interested in the estate of said deceased by publishing a copy of this order for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing in the Valley Herald a weekly newspaper printed and published at chaska in said county.

Dated at chaska the 2d day of July 1873.

J. A. SARGENT, Judge Probate.

Notice Mortgage Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage dated and made executed and delivered by John Dunn and Maria Dunn mortgagors on the third day of July A. D. 1871 to Levi Pierce mortgagee and duly recorded on the fifth day of July A. D. 1871 at 2 o'clock P. M in the office of the Register of Deeds of Carver county Minnesota in Book "G" of mortgages on page 459, mortgaging the following described property situated in carver county Minnesota, to-wit:

The south east quarter (¼) of section eight [8] Township one hundred and sixteen [116] of Range twenty six (26). Also the south west quarter (¼) of section eleven (11), Township one hundred and sixteen (116) of Range twenty six (26) containing three hundred and twenty acres more or less.

Upon which said mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of one thousand and forty three dollars and sixty four cents, and no proceedings at law having been had to collect the sum or any part thereof.

Now therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained and of the statute in such cases made and provided the aforesaid mortgaged premises will be sold at public auction by the sheriff of carver county Minnesota to the highest bidder for cash on Saturday the 12th day of July A. D. 1873 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of said day at the front door of the Court House in the Town of Chaska in said county to satisfy the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage and the costs and expenses of foreclosure and sale.

Dated Carver Minn. May 29th 1873.

LEVI PIERCE Mortgagee.
WARNER & FOWLER, Atty's. for Mortgagee.

Mortgage Foreclosure.

Whereas default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date May 13th A. D. 1872, made and executed by Jon G[illegible] of Watertown Carver Co. Minnesota of the first part and Napoleon Steinmetz of Carver Co. Minnesota party of the second part and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said county of carver on the 24th day of June A. D. 1872 at 2 o'clock p. m, in book "G" of mortgages pages 593 and which said mortgage contained the following pieces or parcels of land lying and being in the county of carver, State of Minnesota, to-wit:

The south west quarter of the north west quarter of section number four in Township one hundred and seventeen of Range twenty five, and also; out lot number forty nine in the village of Watertown as surveyed, by E. H. Blanding and a plat thereof having been duly placed on file of record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said county of carver. And whereas there is due at the date of this notice, on said mortgage the sum of one hundred and [illegible] dollars and five cents, and no proceedings at law, or otherwise having been had to recover said sum or any portion thereof. Now therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of a power of sale in said mortgage contained and pursuant to the statutes in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of said mortgaged premises at public auction to the highest bidder for cash by the sheriff of said county of carver on Friday the 11th day of July A. D. 1873 at 1 o'clock P. M., of said day to satisfy said sum interest and costs of sale and twenty five dollars attorneys fees stipulated in said mortgage.

Chaska, May 25th 1873.

NAPOLEON STEINMETZ, Mortgagee.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure.

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the condition of a certain mortgage dated April 26 A. D. 1872 made and executed by Lorenz Gotla and John Garasak of Carver Co. Minnesota of the first part, and Napoleon Steinmetz of same place party of second part, which said mortgage was duly recorded in the office of Register of Deeds in and for said county of carver on the 9th day of May A. D. 1872 in book "G" of mortgages page 530 and which said mortgage conveyed the following pieces and parcels of land lying and being in said County of Carver and State of Minnesota, to-wit:

The south west quarter (¼) of the north west quarter (¼) of section four (4) in Township one hundred and seventeen [117] of Range Twenty five [25], containing forty acres more or less— And also out lot Forty nine [49] in the village of Watertown as surveyed by E. H. Blanding Esq and a plat thereof duly placed on file of record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said county of carver.

And whereas there is now due at the date of this notice, on said mortgage the sum of five hundred and thirty seven and 50-100 dollars. [$537,50] and no proceedings at law, or otherwise having been made to recover said sum or any portion thereof. Now therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of a power of sale in said mortgage contained and pursuant to statute in such case made and provided the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of said mortgaged premises at public auction to the highest cash bidder by the sheriff of said county of carver at the front door of the court house in Chaska in said county of carver on the 11th day of July A. D. 1873 at two o'clock of said day to satisfy said sum, interest and cost of sale, and the further sum of twenty five dollars Attorney fees as provided in said mortgage.

Dated at Chaska, May 25th 1873.

NAPOLEON STEINMETZ Mortgagee.

SUMMONS.

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver } S. S.

The State of Minnesota To the Sheriff or any constable of said County. You are hereby commanded to attach the goods and chattels, moneys effects and credits of John Kattero or so much thereof as shall be sufficient to satisfy the sum of $7.[illegible]0 with interest and cost of suit whoever hands or possession the same may be found in your County and so provide that the goods and chattels so attached may be subject to further proceedings thereon as the law requires and also to summons the said John Kattere if to be found, to be and appear at my office in said County on the 31st day of May A. D 1873, at 10 o'clk in the forenoon to answer to Joseph Winninghoff in a civil action to his damage one hundred dollars or under.

Given under my hand at Chaska this 3d day of May A D 1873.

PETER ILTIS, Justice of the Peace.

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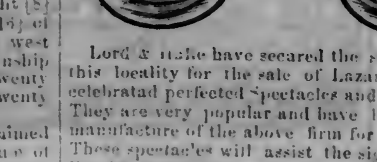

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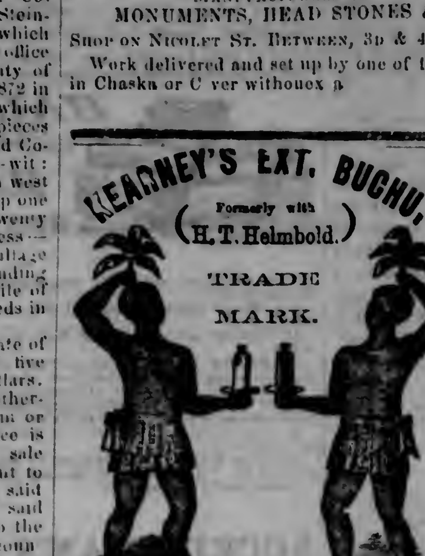

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A STAMP.

denoting the payment of said Special Tax before commencing business.

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Rectifiers	$200 00
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Dealers, wholesale liquor	100 00
Dealers in malt liquors, wholesale	50 00
Dealers in malt liquors retail	20 00
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Retail dealers in leaf tobacco	500 00
and on sales of over $1,000, fifty cents for every dollar in excess of $1,000,	
Dealers in manufactured tobacco	5 00
Manufacturers of stills	50 00
and for each still or worm manufactured	20 00
Manufacturers of tobacco	10 00
Manufacturers of cigars	10 00
Peddlers of tobacco, first class, [more than two horses]	50 00
Peddlers of tobacco second class, (two horses)	25 00
Peddlers of tobacco, third class, (1 horse)	15 00
Peddlers of tobacco, fourth class, (on foot or public conveyance	10 00
Brewers of less than 500 barrels	50 00
Brewers of 500 barrels or more	100 00

Any person who shall fail to comply with the foregoing requirements will be subject to severe penalties.

Special-tax Payers throughout the United States are reminded that they must make application to the Collector of their respective districts and procure the proper stamp for the Special-tax Year, commencing May 1, 1873, without waiting for further notice.

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Probate Notice.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
COUNTY OF CARVER, } S. S.
IN PROBATE COURT.

In the matter of the estate of John Gustafson, deceased. On reading and filing the petition of Josephine C. Gustafson and Wilhelmanna Gustafson, praying for reasons therein set forth that Henry R. Denny of Carver in said county be appointed the administratrix of the said deceased.

It is ordered that said petitioner be heard before the Judge of said Court, on the 8th day of August 1873 at one o'clock P. M of said day at the Probate Court room in Chaska in said Co.

Ordered further that notice thereof be given to the heirs of said deceased and to all persons interested by publishing a copy of this order for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing in the Valley Herald a weekly newspaper printed and published at Chaska in said County.

Dated at Chaska July 10th 1873.
By the Court,

J. A. SARGENT, Judge Probate.

Notice to Town Assessors.

The different Township Assessors of the County of Carver, are hereby notified to meet at the County Auditors office, at the Court House, Chaska, at 11 o'clk on Saturday the 31st day of May next 1873. Each assessor is expected to be present at the above time, as business of importance is expected to come before said meeting.

Chaska, April 31st 1873.

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